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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 49 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., south, velocity 7 miles. At midnight the temperature was 50 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 48 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, with rain; light southerly wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, with rain; light southwest wind.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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THE SNAKES THAWED OUT.

Railroad Laborers Have the "Real Thing" After a Souse and Four of Them are Severely Bitten.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALTOONA (Pa.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Forty railroad laborers this morning found a batch of half-frozen rattlesnakes and took them to their cabin as curiosities. The men began to drink and the reptiles were forgotten, but the snakes thawed out.

In the mad scramble to escape which followed, one man was seriously injured by hurling himself, head first, through a window. Four others were severely bitten by snakes.

SPECIAL CAR OF SMUGGLERS.

French Railway Coach Used to Convey Dutiable Goods Over the Border.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A few days ago, a third-class car arriving in this city from Brussels, was seized by custom officials. A search of the car brought forth no less than 320 pounds of tobacco concealed back of the seats, which had been especially constructed for this purpose, and could only be opened by pressure upon a secret button.

The car was built by a French railroad company, and it is believed several high officials of the road, acting in collusion with the employés of the Belgian state railroad, have smuggled several million dollars' worth of lace, liquor and tobacco into France in this way.

ORIENT.

REACH TWO POINTS WHERE THEY STICK.

Russia and Japan Cannot Agree Upon Manchurian Questions.

'Any Attempt of the Former to Increase Her Naval Forces in the Far East Would Make War a Question of Only a Few Hours—Korean Troops Have Crossed the Chinese Frontier.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 18.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In what it claims as an authoritative statement, the Daily Graphic this morning announces that the negotiations have arrived at a stage leaving two points upon which neither Russia nor Japan is inclined to yield, and as to which no means of a compromise have yet been found. Both these points concern Manchuria, and their acceptance would not in the slightest modify the legal status quo or change the administrative situation in Manchuria, but Japan insists "that they be embodied in a treaty between Japan and Russia," while Russia, as a matter of amour propre, refuses to accept such dictation from Japan. Much, however, is still hoped from the Czar's influence.

The statement adds: "Of course any attempt of Russia to increase very largely her naval forces in the far East by moving her Black Sea or Baltic fleets would make war a question of only a few hours."

This statement seems to be borne out by the Associated Press dispatches from Tokio yesterday that Japan had received Russia's communication saying that Russia would respect the rights and privileges already acquired by the powers in Manchuria under the existing treaties with China, except in the case of the establishment of foreign settlements, which shows that negotiations are continuing on the question of Manchuria.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Daily Mail's Tokio correspondent says that M. Pavloff, the Russian Minister at Seoul, has notified the Korean government that Korean troops have crossed the Chinese boundary repeatedly and committed excesses against the inhabitants. Russian customs officials on the extreme northeastern border report similar occurrences, and assert that the Koreans are burning villages and killing people. Minister Pavloff warned the authorities that such proceedings will necessitate severe measures.

The correspondent says that riots have broken out at Chyung Choyngdo, in the province of Piyongan, Korea.

The Daily Mail's Seoul correspondent, cabling yesterday, makes no mention of these disturbances, but according to the Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent, the Seoul correspondent of the Nji Shampo learns that a general rising is imminent at Phongyang, and that Korean soldiers are coöperating with the rebels. Phongyang was the scene of the rising which led to the war between China and Japan.

The Daily Mail's Seoul correspondent says that an armored train, with quick-firing guns from the ships, is ready at Chemulpo to rush men to Seoul at a moment's notice. The correspondent says that the Japanese have secured control of the Korean court, and that the Emperor has wired Peking and Tokio advising a triple offensive and defensive alliance, and promising not to leave Seoul.

According to the correspondent, McLevy Brown, supervisor of Korean customs, secured possession of Korean field guns on the pretense that they needed repairs, and locked them up in the customhouse.

The Daily Mail's Port Arthur correspondent estimates that the total number of Russian troops now in Manchuria is 200,000, half of whom are guarding the railway. The correspondent says: "China's firm stand since the reoccupation of Mukden has complicated the Russian arrangement in Manchuria for defense and doubled the difficulties of guarding the long line of communication between the boundaries and the coast line. The council of war is sitting daily. The port of Newchwang and ports on the Yalu River are ice bound."

AMERICANS IN SEOUL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The Navy Department today received advices confirmatory of the Associated Press dispatches, telling of the reinforcement of the American guard at the United States Legation at Seoul. Two officers and sixty-four men were sent there from the United States steamship Vicksburg, now at Chemulpo. They carried a machine gun with them. There are now a hundred or more men from the Vicksburg at Seoul, guarding the legation.

The news received at the Navy Department shows the native press to be somewhat inflammatory in its utterances against foreigners.

GUARDING FRENCH LEGATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, Jan. 17.—Thirty-nine marines from the French cruiser Pascal have arrived here from Chemulpo to protect the French Legation.

INVITES CHINA'S CO-OPERATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The Standard's Tien-Tsin correspondent says it is reported that Russia has asked China to send 13,000 troops to Manchuria to protect Chinese subjects.

HOW JAPAN WILL FIGHT.

COL. OKA TELLS IT ALL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan's chief strategist, Col. Oka, who is on a trip across the continent, speaking of Japan's possible movements in the event of a flash said: "War will not begin until the first week of February, at the earliest. It will be long and bitter. We will win the naval campaign. That is half of the battle. The struggle on land will be full of trials. We feel strong and confident.

"Look at the map," said Oka. "When war breaks out—and it will be to Japan's advantage to strike the first blow—you will find our transports with troops hurrying from Japan straight away to Chemulpo. It's our great idea to bring the Russian navy to battle at an early stage, because the land operations depend greatly upon our supremacy at sea. The coasts of Japan are feared as quite impregnable. After landing at Chemulpo, we shall probably make a great march direct to Harbin, over five hundred miles, which we regard as the key to the strategic situation."

It was the opinion of Col. Oka that in case of retreat from Liao-Tung district, in Southern Manchuria, a strong defensive position would be taken up by the Japanese in Northern Korea. An army well intrenched with a handy sea base at Chemulpo could occupy almost the entire frontier without much difficulty. In case of reverses, successive positions could be taken up in the Hermit kingdom, each move to the south bringing Russia farther from her base and Japan nearer home.

As to the scene of the first great sea fight, Oka was of the opinion that Chemulpo would seem to be the most logical point.

RUSSIA TO WITHDRAW.

BREAT BRITAIN'S INFLUENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 18.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Times' Tokio correspondent says that in recent speeches by publicists, the claim was made that Japan is fighting for Anglo-Saxon ideals in Asia, instead of military despotism, and that several Tokio journals rejoice that "America is now in the same camp with Japan."

The Russian correspondent of the Times heard that a special council, presided over by the Czar, arrived at the conclusion that war should be avoided. The inference, they say, is that the speech of Premier Balfour at Manchester, January 11, in which he said: "No one can contemplate hostilities between two great civilized countries without feelings of misgivings and depression," declaring that Great Britain would carry out to the fullest extent all her treaty obligations, greatly influences this decision.

It is reported that as a result of this conclusion, Russia intends to open ports in Manchuria, withdraw her pretensions with regard to Korea, and possibly even not retain Port Arthur as a military stronghold.

The correspondent of the Times at Moscow comments on the severity of the censorship of all dispatches referring to the movements of troops or fleets.

ITALY JOINS WITH BRITAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ROME, Jan. 17.—Although twenty sailors from the Italian cruiser Elba have been landed to protect Sir Merton, the Italian Minister at Seoul, the legation building cannot be easily defended, and Minister Monaco has been instructed, in case of danger, to take refuge in the British Legation, where the Italian sailors will join the British bluejackets.

TURKISH TROOPS CONCENTRATE.

SALONICA, Jan. 17.—An important concentration of Turkish troops has begun at Kumanova, on the road leading to the Bulgarian frontier.

MADE BRISK ATTACK.

Government Troops Enter Porto Plata and Gen. Deschamps Takes Refuge at United States Consulate. Powell "Jumps" Morales.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAPE HAYTIEN, Jan. 17.—[By West Indian Cable.] The government troops which disembarked recently at Sosua were yesterday ordered to march on to Porto Plata. A brisk attack, supported by the guns of a Dominican war vessel, began in the evening.

This morning operations were resumed, and the government troops entered Porto Plata, causing the flight of Gen. Deschamps, who took refuge at the United States Consulate. The British cruiser Palias has landed marines to protect the consulate. The United States cruiser Hartford has arrived.

POWELL "JUMPS" MORALES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTO DOMINGO, Jan. 12.—[Wired from Chicago, Jan. 17.] An incident which came near having serious results but for the coolness and prompt intervention of United States Minister Powell, took place here on the arrival of the Clyde line steamer New York. President Morales demanded that the shipping agent surrender the ship's letters, and when the agent refused to comply his arrest was ordered. In order to avoid being arrested the agent went on board the New York, carrying the letters with him. He then sent for Consul Maxwell, who accompanied him to the palace, where Morales renewed his demand, and compelled the agent to give up several letters.

Minister Powell, learning of the incident, promptly went to the palace and demanded that the letters taken from the agent be delivered to him. This President Morales refused to do, but Minister Powell persisted in his demand, saying that the government had no right to take such action, and that the President must hand the letters to him, which President Morales reluctantly did. Minister Powell also told President Morales that the agent was entitled to protection, as he represented an American company, and that he (Minister Powell) would not consent to this arbitrary act on the part of the government, and that, furthermore, the agent could not be expelled, as was threatened. Finally, the case was satisfactorily settled.

Minister Powell, finding that the government was unable to protect the tug Anna, which is owned by Americans, while entering San Isidro, requested the commander of the United States gunboat Newport to guard her. The revolutionists threatened to capture the Anna, and this morning a strong guard left the Newport to protect her and other vessels obliged to pass through the waters in that section of the country.

A large force of revolutionists is stationed at San Isidro, and Commander Metz goes there prepared for all emergencies. The political situation remains unchanged, but the fighting continues.

CRUISER COLUMBIA ARRIVES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTO DOMINGO, Friday, Jan. 15.—[Wired from Chicago Jan. 17.] The United States cruiser Columbia arrived here today. Minister of Foreign Affairs Sanchez left this afternoon for Washington, via Porto Rico, with the object of soliciting the recognition by the United States of the Dominican government and the exequatur of a new consul-general at New York.

This morning, the insurgents fired shells into the city, and it is said that a woman and a child were injured.

The German steamer Holstein arrived at San Pedro de Macoris with the exiled generals, Robles and Martinez, aboard, and the generals were brought to this city on the warship Presidente. It has been intimated to the German consul that the generals will be reëxpelled.

CANNOT SAFEGUARD ESTATES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTO DOMINGO (Sunday) Jan. 10.—[Wired from Chicago Jan. 17.] The revolutionary general, Navarro, having seized carbon on an estate at Lafe, which is an American property, the agent of the estate applied to United States Minister Powell for protection. The Minister was compelled to refuse the request, as he has no force at his command sufficient to guard the estate.

The force on the United States gunboat Newport is too small to safeguard estates from pillagers, and in order to protect United States property the Minister says there is great need of larger warships here. If the revolutionists should enter the city just now, it would be impossible to prevent the pillage which would be sure to take place, and there is no other warship here to support the Newport should it be found necessary to land men.

There was continued firing around the city last night and this morning. A shell from the enemy's camp entered a private dwelling and injured a child.

There is great misery and suffering among the poorer class.

WATER OF NEW LIFE.

Rain Falls in the Golden State.

Showers of Blessing Strike the Dry Spots Where Grain Will Grow.

Stockmen Can Now Keep at Home the Herds They Proposed to Ship.

Coast and Valley Counties Well Soaked—Snow in Some Localities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From the most northerly point in the State as far south as Los Angeles, rain fell plentifully today, putting an end to the prolonged dry spell in the lower counties and aiding growing crops in the north. It was the biggest and most general storm of the season, and in view of the benefit which will result, was one of the most important that ever visited California.

With coast and valley counties well soaked, the weather fiend still flies, and a repetition of today's downpour is predicted for tomorrow.

The farming, dairy and stock interests welcome the rain as a great blessing. In the central coast counties, cattle were dying and the hard ground defied the plow. Enough rain has fallen to start green grass and insure a hay and grain crop in Southern California. Reservoirs in many places had made poor showings, and will now have them at home.

The downpour was hardest at Eureka, where 1.63 inches fell. The storm came southward, spreading over it early, and reached San Francisco before daybreak. It continued all down the coast, extending over the valley, and into the mountains, entering Los Angeles in the evening.

San Francisco, up to 6 o'clock p.m., had received 1.52 of an inch. As the storm passed on, it gathered renewed force, centering at San Luis Obispo, where .76 of an inch fell in a few hours.

At Wilits and Santa Rosa the storm was fierce. In the former place, snow fell and buildings were wrecked. Three inches of snow also fell at Verdi Valley.

The reports show that Red Bluff received .34 of an inch; Sacramento .31, and Fresno .32.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Reports tonight from interior points in the State, both north and south of San Francisco, state that it is raining in many localities, and the indications are favorable for a general downfall tonight. At Salinas, the downfall was heavy, amounting to .76 of an inch. At Santa Maria, the precipitation was half an inch.

The rain was most opportune, as early-sown grain was rotting in many places; further seeding was prevented by dryness of the soil, and scarcity of water precluded irrigation in the central parts of the State.

IN SACRAMENTO VALLEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—The precipitation today, .32 of an inch, makes the total rainfall for the present season 4.02 inches. Last season at this date it was 6.71 inches and the normal to date is 5.97 inches, showing true season and yet to have been less than the usual rainfall. Reports from the Sierra Nevada Mountains indicate a heavy fall of snow. The rainstorm of today extended generally up the Sacramento Valley.

HELPFUL AT SAN JOSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, Jan. 17.—Rain began falling in this city shortly before 9 o'clock this morning, and continued during most of the day, the fall being .67 of an inch, making 1.19 inches for the season. Tonight it is clear and quite cold. The mountains surrounding the valley are covered with snow. The wind, however, is still to the south, with every indication of more rain. The rain is very beneficial to the agricultural and orchard districts.

DAIRY INTERESTS SAVED.

LOSSES WERE ENORMOUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAYUCOS, Jan. 18.—Sixty hundredths of an inch of rain fell here today, and it is still raining. The rain breaks an unprecedented drought. This town is the center of the great dairy interests of San Luis Obispo county, which has suffered enormously through a lack of feed and loss of stock. Stock

is in a poor condition. Plowing and seeding have been greatly delayed owing to the lateness of the dairy season. Much grain will now be sowed.

LONG DROUTH IS BROKEN.

LOS ANGELES AND SOUTHERN COUNTIES GET RAIN.

Storm Moving Southward and Reached San Diego Last Night. Precipitation Here Light but More Is Promised Today.

The long drought was broken yesterday afternoon and last night by rains more or less heavy throughout the State. Wet weather is reported from numerous districts in the northern and central part of the State, and as far south as San Diego. The storm did not reach the last-named place until about 10 o'clock last night, but is traveling southward and will undoubtedly be general over the entire southern part of the State today, according to official predictions.

In Los Angeles rain began falling shortly after 7 o'clock last night and continued intermittently until about 11 o'clock. The sky then cleared and remained clear through the night.

The precipitation amounted to 17-100 inches in this city, as shown by the standard rain gauge on the roof of The Times building.

The coming of the storm was announced yesterday afternoon in a telegram from the San Francisco Weather Bureau telling the local Weather Bureau to advise north-bound vessels of a storm on the Oregon coast, accompanied by rain, and moving southward. This message had hardly reached this city when it was followed by another from San Francisco giving a special forecast for Southern California, which predicted rain Sunday night and Monday.

The following reports to The Times will give an idea of the extent of the storm.

PASADENA.
STEADY DOWNPOUR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 36 South Raymond Avenue, Jan. 18.—Last night was the first time in many a weary month that a Pasadenan needed rubbers and an umbrella. It actually rained, and nobody regretted it. Few had umbrellas and many were caught. The precipitation began about dusk and in a few hours it developed into a steady downpour. In the city the streets are running full, and carriage drivers are reaping a harvest, many Sunday evening church goers being caught without proper protection. The wind is now in the southeast, and the indications late last night pointed to a very heavy rainfall in this vicinity.

LONG BEACH.
BEACOAST SHOWERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONG BEACH, Jan. 17.—At 7:36 o'clock this evening rain began falling here, coming first in the form of a light, misty fall, but rapidly increasing in volume and developing into a genuine rainstorm.

BURBANK.
SEVERAL HOURS OF IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BURBANK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A light rain set in at 6:30 o'clock p.m. tonight and continued until 9 o'clock. The weather is now clearing, a light southeast wind blowing.

SANTA ANA.
DROUTH IS BROKEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA ANA, Jan. 17.—Gentle rain with intermittent heavy showers commenced falling here at 8 o'clock tonight. The previous rainfall for the season was only 1-36 of an inch, so that this is the first precipitation of importance since last May. It will be welcomed by all classes of farmers who have deferred plowing and seeding for weeks in anticipation of rain. Lack of rain has been especially severe on stockmen and grain farmers, horticulturists practising winter irrigating extensively in lieu of rain. The drought of this season is unprecedented here.

SANTA BARBARA.
STOCKMEN ARE REJOICING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 17.—About 3 o'clock this afternoon the clouds which have been hanging over this section of the State for the past three days began sending down rain in great volume. After three hours of steady precipitation the streets of this city are flooded. Early this morning a strong wind began blowing from the southeast and tonight the wind is from the same direction, indicating a continuation of the storm.

Reports received from various parts of the county indicate that the storm is general. There is great rejoicing in the livestock districts. Feed became so scarce that cattle were dying in large numbers and stockmen were preparing to ship to Nevada, as feed was more plentiful there. The present rain will relieve the situation and will be the means of saving much money for live-stock interests.

VENTURA.
PRESENT RAIN MUCH NEEDED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VENTURA, Jan. 17.—A steady rain began to fall here this afternoon about 4 o'clock. The wind is from the southeast and this fact holds out the promise of more moisture.

There has been no rain here since last May. Last season the precipitation at the present date had reached nine inches. Today's rain will be a boon to stockmen, as feed is becoming very scarce and if there is not generous precipitation during the next month many cattle will perish. Bean farmers also give hearty welcome to the wet weather, as they have been scanning the heavens, with anxious eyes for many weeks in the hope of finding rain indications.

SAN DIEGO.
GETTING ITS SHARE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—There have been strong indications of rain all day. Tonight the sky is heavily clouded, and at 10 o'clock a light rain began falling, which seems likely to develop into a heavy downpour before morning. Rain is as badly needed in this county as in any part of the State.

BAKERSFIELD.
RAIN AND SNOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The long drouth which has prevailed in Kern county was broken tonight by a steady downpour of rain, starting about 5 o'clock and continuing for several hours. The morning was very clear, and at 11 o'clock the sun was as hot as a July day. About 2 o'clock it clouded up and a nasty sandstorm set in. Then it turned cold and the rain started to come down hard.

Up to this evening only 24-100 of an inch had fallen at Bakersfield during the season, and still less in other parts of the county. The outlook was gloomy in the extreme, the grass being altogether insufficient to sustain cattle in the foothills and valleys, and but little better in the mountains. No deaths have been reported from starvation, but the stock has been kept up with difficulty.

The usual shipments into the county from New Mexico, Arizona, Western Texas and Mexico have been greatly curtailed, so far this season. The Kern County Land Company; Miller and Lux, and Hon. Traxton Beale, who are the heaviest owners in the county, have been much worried over the outlook. The rain tonight, if as expected, it is the forerunner of others, will change the entire aspect of affairs. It is recalled that during the season of 1880-81 there was no rain until February, when it came in large quantities, and the season proved one of the best in the history of Kern county. At this time last year there had been over two inches of rain, but the amount later was slight, and the year was not as good as some that the county has experienced. Tonight reports from all over the county say that heavy rains are falling, and in the mountains there is a fierce snowstorm.

FIVE CONSPIRATORS EXECUTED.

CAPE HAYTIEN, Jan. 17.—Five persons connected with the conspiracy headed by Gen. Monplaisir to start a revolt against Gen. Nord, and condemned to death by a military tribunal, were executed today in the presence of a vast crowd. Several foreigners who took part in the conspiracy probably will be deported.

Will A. Harris's Position.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan. 17.—William A. Harris, former United States Senator from Kansas, has been appointed a member of the Executive Committee of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway.

ESPEE TRACK DROPS IN GREAT SALT LAKE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OGDEN (Utah) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Once more the Southern Pacific track on the Ogden-Lucin cut-off has settled, making another temporary setback for the engineers in their wonderful battle against the quicksands and quagmires of the Great Salt Lake. The latest sinking of the big costly trestle is reported to be more serious than any that has occurred for several months. The settling occurred out near the mid-lake, and affects nearly two hundred feet of track.

One result of the incident is that all supplies for the graders or other laborers on the cut-off must be sent around by way of Tacoma and Hagup, on the west shore of the lake. It will be several days before supplies can be forwarded direct from Ogden, as heretofore.

CONTROL OF LEHIGH VALLEY.
SOUGHT BY COTTIER FACTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A strong effort to oust Morgan-Drexel interests from control of the Lehigh Valley Railroad will be made by a faction led by A. E. Cottier, one of the largest independent stockholders, at the annual meeting next Tuesday. The Morgan-Drexel interests hold control of the company by means of a voting trust. By the terms of this trust, the property cannot be returned to the stockholders until it has paid a dividend. By refusing to pay this dividend, the voting trustees can perpetuate themselves in control.

Cottier, in a circular to the stockholders, says the Morgan interests do not declare dividends, because the majority of stock is held by independent stockholders, while five other railroads that hold Lehigh in their grip pay big dividends.

PAN-AMERICAN RAILWAY.
GOOD WORK GOING ON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 17.—Charles J. Pepper, representative of the United States government for the projected Pan-American Railway, has left here for home after a journey of 25,000 miles and visiting the capitals of twenty-one different governments. Pepper says that the Pan-American Railway being built by Americans in the southwestern part of the republic is today within 165 miles of the Guatemala line, and when completed, Guatemala and Nicaragua will build lines in continuation.

Argentina is doing most effective work in railroad construction, and there it is part of the national spirit of the day to speak and write of a railroad from New York to Buenos Ayres. In Chile, some twelve hundred miles have been built, and Brazil is planning a railroad that is to pierce the Andes.

SANTA FE SLUMP.
CHINA BASIN WALL SINKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The Santa Fé Company's operations in China Basin had another setback today, when three hundred feet of sea wall and part of the temporary road sunk beneath the water. The sunken portion is not far from the ferry slip. The collapse was not unexpected, because the sea wall had been settling in its muddy foundation for two months.

This is the second collapse of the wall, the first having occurred in August, 1902. The contractors will at once begin the task of repairing the damage.

PLEHVE'S DRAFT OF PEASANT REFORMS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 17.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Minister of the Interior Plehve has completed the draft of the peasant code, or scheme for the peasant reforms ordered by the Czar's recent manifesto, and it will probably be sent to the local committees throughout the empire within a few days.

Members of the nobility in each province and district will be allowed to elect representatives on these committees, but the Zemstvos (or elective provincial assemblies, composed of landed proprietors and representatives of the artisans and peasants) will be appointed by the governors.

The committees will be allowed freedom to discuss the projects and propose any changes therein, except on three points which the Emperor has reserved from discussion, namely: That the peasant class must remain entirely separate legally from the other classes; that the commune is to remain untouched by legislation, and that the peasant lands are to remain inalienable. These points stamp the forthcoming legislation as conservative in the main, but the present chaos is so great and so much room is left for the arbitrary conduct of the police and the local representatives of the ministry of the Interior, as well as of the peasant courts and administrative machinery and their commune town meetings, that the Liberals declare any codification would be in the line of progress.

The ministerial project proposes to retain the system of corporal punishment, but the Emperor did not include this among the matters not subject to change. The Emperor regards the preservation of the peasant class, the retention of the economic commune and the inalienability of peasant land as necessary for the protection of the peasants from exploitation.

EIGHTEEN SWAMPED IN MAMMOTH CAVE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Jan. 17.—Eighteen delegates to the convention of the League of the Commission Merchants were thrown into the icy waters of Echo River, which winds a tortuous course through Mammoth Cave, and were saved only by the coolness of the guide, John Nelson, and the heroic work of Charles A. Muhlbronner of Pittsburgh, Pa.

The roof of the cave over Echo River is arched, and the space in the center, owing to an unaccountable rise in the river, was only two and a half feet above the water. In order to insure the passage of the boat, the men and women were forced to stoop over. At one place, the boat swerved to one side, raking the heads of those occupants seated next to the bank. These leaned further forward, which lowered one end of the boat, and the water began to flow in rapidly. The guides saw the danger, and called to Muhlbronner to jump and take the chain. This he did, landing on a steep bank which offered only a slight foothold. Lying down on his face, he held to the chain and pulled the boat toward the bank. The boat sank in eight feet of water. Further back, where there was no landing, the water is eighteen feet deep.

By the light of a single lantern, the party escaped by climbing over Muhlbronner's prostrate form, and after waiting several hours for a boat were brought in safety to daylight

WASHINGTON.

DISCUSSIONS IN CONGRESS.

Canal Treaty a Topic for a Month or More.

Senate Opens Present Week With Postal Probe.

House to Attempt an Appropriation Bill a Week.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—It is the intention of the Senate to begin the week by again taking up the resolutions having in view an inquiry into the conduct of the Postoffice Department, and it is understood that they will be referred to the Committee on Postoffices after comparatively brief debate. Senator Hale, who has general charge of the resolutions, will make a brief statement concerning them, and probably will be followed by Senator Gorman. It is expected that Senator Spooner will add to his previous remarks on this subject, but his statement may be postponed until later in the session.

It is the hope of Republican Senators that the postoffice may be temporarily disposed of before the close of Monday's session, and in this event, discussion of the Panama Canal subject will be continued Tuesday, and probably during the remainder of the week. It is likely, however, that before the close of the week, the debate will be transferred from open Senate to executive session, and it is the purpose of the Republican majority to insist upon taking up the canal treaty as soon as it shall be reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations, which has had it under consideration for the past two weeks. The Republican members of the committee hope to report the treaty early in the present week. Discussion of the treaty is expected to last a month or more.

The Committee on Appropriations will take up some of the annual supply bills during the present week. As soon as these measures are on the calendar, their consideration will be pressed. The present indications are that the Urgent Deficiency Bill will be the first to receive attention, and after that has been disposed of the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill will be taken up.

One appropriation bill a week will be the record attempted by the House until supply measures are out of the way. The Urgent Deficiency Bill will come from the committee about the middle of the week, and will be disposed of without delay. The Army Bill also will be ready for action by the House before the end of the week.

The House has set apart Monday for the consideration of matters relating to the District of Columbia and Friday for the passage of private pension bills. It is not unlikely that the Hepburn Pure Food Bill will be called up Tuesday. This measures, which was passed by the House during the last Congress, was reported from the committee Saturday last, and it may be the subject of discussion Tuesday or Wednesday.

Bills on the calendar, and subject to be called up when opportunity arises, include the following: To provide a delegate to Congress from Porto Rico; to provide transportation from Porto Rico for the public school teachers of that island to attend the summer schools of the United States; to construct a revenue cutter for use in Albemarle and Pimlico sounds; to reimburse a cable company for damages sustained during the war with Spain; to create a public park of the petrified forests of Arizona and a bill to codify the criminal laws of the United States.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

National Board of Trade.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—At the annual meeting of the National Board of Trade, which will be held in this city the coming week, beginning Tuesday, various phases of the present interstate commerce law and proposed amendments thereto, the ship-subsidy question, postal affairs, including 1-cent postage and the proper postal classification of mail matter; the Isthmian Canal, reciprocity with Canada, Cuba and other countries; various suggested reforms in the currency laws; irrigation and forestry, national inspection of grain and government crop reports, and other important questions will be considered. Two hundred delegates from all sections of the country are expected.

MINE WORKERS CONVENE TODAY.

OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSED REDUCTION OF WAGES.

Ten-day Session at Indianapolis and Then a Joint Meeting With the Operators of the Central Competitive Field—Re-election of John Mitchell Among the Probabilities.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Jan. 17.—The United Mine Workers of America will convene in this city tomorrow, and the convention promises to be more interesting than ordinary. Within the last two months there has apparently been a preconcerted move on the part of several of the operators to cut wages at the rate of 10 cents a ton, and a conflict between operators and miners seems probable. There will be about one thousand delegates from all parts of the country.

The convention will remain in session for ten days, and then the miners will enter into joint convention with the operators of the central competitive field. There will be about three hundred of these operators present, representing Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. This joint conference is for the purpose of arranging a wage scale for the miners of the central competitive fields. There are in the United States 450,000 miners, of whom 325,000 belong to the organization. Of these, there are now 14,000 on strike. Ten thousand of these are in the West; 2000 in the Meyersdale district, and 1000 in West Virginia.

In three States, efforts have been made this year to reduce the wages of the miners. The national officers of the mine workers decline to anticipate in any way the probable action of the convention. It is understood there is no opposition to the reelection of John Mitchell as president, or to the other officers.

INCREASED DEFENSE FUND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nearly all delegates to the national convention of the United Mine Workers of America, which will hold its initial session here tomorrow, are in the city tonight, and the question of a wage scale for 1904 and the probable action of the operators when it is presented are engrossing their attention.

If the present temper of the delegates continues there will be a united effort to increase the defense fund to twice or three times its present dimensions. A resolution to increase it to $6,000,000 was offered last year and prevailed, but it was afterward reconsidered. Many of the delegates are in favor of making the fund $3,000,000, and give as the reason for it that with antagonistic organizations among employers, a large fund is absolutely necessary to the life of a labor organization. The defense fund is now about $1,000,000.

Sun and Moon Disturbers.

IDAHO SPRINGS (Colo.) Jan. 17.—Three of the thirteen men who were acquitted at Georgetown yesterday of the charge of conspiring to blow up the Sun and Moon transformer have been rearrested on the charge of arson. They are J. E. Chandler, Ross Sanborn and Foster Milburn. They will be tried in Gilpin county at the June term. Information charging them with the crime will be filed in the district court Monday.

CHICAGO POSTAL RECEIPTS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Comparative reports of the postal receipts at the Chicago postoffice for the first ten days in 1903 and 1904 show remarkable gains for the beginning of the new year. Statistics furnished by Postmaster Coyne show that the sales of postage stamps and postal cards at the Chicago postoffice in the first ten days of 1904 amounted to $280,416, against $194,349 for the same period in 1903. The general postal receipts in the first ten days in 1904 aggregated $383,980, an increase of $86,630 over the business of the same time in 1903. There also was a 12-per-cent. increase in the amount of registered articles handled.

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POLITICAL.

ULTRA-BROAN SUPPORTERS.

Not Satisfied With the Outlined Policies.

Radical Democrats and Pops Arrange Conference.

Conciliation or Third-party Movement Suggested.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dissatisfied with the outlined policies of the Democratic national leaders for the platform to be presented to the St. Louis convention for adoption, a movement has been started by the old radical wing of the party to obtain a platform and a candidate to its liking, or else take steps to run a third ticket. The movement has as its promoters the members of the old Populist party and many others of the ultra-Bryan supporters in the last two national campaigns.

It became known today, through J. A. Edgerton, secretary of the Populist National Committee, now in the city, with other leaders, that the radical wing of the Democracy and other extremists arranged a conference at St. Louis for February 22, at which the general situation will be discussed with a view to calling a separate national convention, to be held at St. Louis about the same time as that set for the Democratic National Convention. The step will be taken with the idea of forcing the Democratic convention to conciliate the old Bryan element by naming a man acceptable to them for President. It will seek to enforce the platfrom demands of the radicals, who, while they will not insist on reaffirmation of the old silver plank, still insist that there be a red-hot anti-trust plank and declarations in favor of public ownership of railroads and telegraphs; postal savings banks, income and inheritance taxes and the election of United States Senators by the direct vote of the people.

MINNESOTA'S PUZZLE.
HOW TO CHOOSE DELEGATES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Jan. 17.—The Pioneer Press tomorrow will print an interview with ex-Congressman Joel Heatwole, in which he points out that the Minnesota Republicans are in something of a quandry regarding the method to be pursued in the selection of delegates from Congressional districts to the National Republican Convention.

The call for the convention, issued by Chairman Hanna, provides that delegates from Congress districts shall be chosen in district conventions, in the same manner that nominations for Congressmen are made. Minnesota's Congressmen are nominated at primary elections, and there is no provision under this law for the holding of party conventions.

OFFICEHOLDERS BARRED.
IS THE PRESIDENT'S WISH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Jan. 17.—Private instructions have been given to the leaders of the Republican party in Texas that no Federal officeholders are to be permitted to go as delegates to the National Republican Convention. These instructions are said to come from the National Committee to all State leaders, and are given as the express wish of the President, who desires that if he be nominated, it be not by a convention dominated by Federal officeholders.

ANTI-SMOOT MEETING.

Leading Women's Clubs of Philadelphia in Joint Gathering Denounce Mormons and Petition Senate.

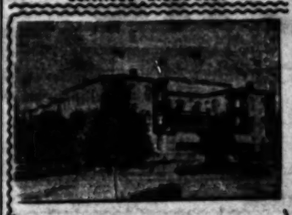
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—At a mass meeting held under the auspices of the leading women's clubs of this city today, resolutions were adopted denouncing polygamy and Mormonism and petitioning the United States Senate to investigate the charges made against Senator Smoot. If the charges are found to be true, the resolutions ask that he be expelled from the Senate. Half a score of representatives of the Mormon church were present and listened to bitter denunciations of Mormonism. At the conclusion of the meeting, they distributed Mormon literature.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. Joseph Swain, president of Swarthmore College, an institution dominated by the Quakers. Mrs. Frederick Schoff of this city, president of the National Congress of Mothers, one of the speakers, explained why the women of the country had taken up the fight against Senator Smoot and said that 400,000 women are already engaged in the movement.

"We have engaged Representative Tayler as our legal adviser," she said, "and I was assured in Washington yesterday that had we women not done so, no objection would have been made to seating Mr. Smoot."

Winter Resorts.



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HUMAN RACE ONE AGAIN

Startling Prediction Made by Bishop Hamilton.

Great Missionary Cities a Earnest of It.

Rev. Kennedy Acquitted o Burglary—Corpse Found.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EVERETT, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bishop John W. Hamilton of San Francisco astounded a congregation of Everett Methodists tonight by declaring that the entire race of man kind will soon be one again.

In the course of his address on the advancement attained during the nineteenth century, Bishop Hamilton said: "It is undeniable that the race will be one one. Within a few generations it will be one again. This statement may shock your prejudices, but it is true nevertheless. All races are in progress of amalgamation, one with the other. There were four great epochal movements during the last century, which were almost evenly divided into four periods. These correspond with the four in the New Testament, which says: 'There is neither Jew nor Greek; there is neither bond nor free. There is neither male nor female, for ye are all one in Jesus Christ.'"

Bishop Hamilton continued: "The last twenty-five years of the last century saw the founding of great missionary cities, which, when analyzed, really showed unity of race."

MILLIONAIRE DOE DEAD.
PIONEER OF SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Charles Doe, a millionaire lumberman and pioneer, was found dead in his room at his home today. He was 71 years old. He had extensive lumber and land interests all over the State, and was part owner of the St. Nicholas Hotel in this city.

He leaves an estate valued at between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000, which, it is said, has been bequeathed to relatives and nieces, as he had never married.

ANOTHER CLALLAM CORPSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORT ANGELES (Wash.) Jan. 17.—The body of a man supposed to be W. E. Brooklidge of Tacoma was found on the beach today. On the body was a watch bearing the name Clallam, besides a number of other articles which will serve to lead to the positive identification of the deceased. Letters bearing the names F. Keown, Los Angeles, and another bearing the name and address A. H. Parks, No. 1013 Prospect street, were found on the body. Neither card bore the name of a city or town.

SETTLED ALASKAN CLAIMS.
MILLIONAIRES TAKEN IN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to the Skagway correspondent, William Pitaugh, a mining expert of London, has started for Dawson, accompanied by "Klondike" Mike Stanley, to disclose to a syndicate of capitalists how they have been swindled by trusted agents in Alaska. The Alaskan claims that a syndicate of London mining men purchased a big group of claims in Seventy-Mile District, near Eagle, which have subsequently proved to have been salted. The first reports of the syndicate were that the property was rich in gold. Pitaugh was sent out a year ago to investigate. His examination disclosed gold on a majority of the claims. There were indications that they had been salted, but winter came on too early to make sure. He came out this fall, and made tests which believed to show that the claims were salted for the purpose of securing

EPIDEMIC OF DIPHTHERIA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DULUTH (Minn.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An epidemic of diphtheria is reported at Grand Marais, Minn., 148 miles from here, on the north shore of Lake Superior. After several deaths resulted, the only physician in the place was taken ill, and for three days the sick have been without attention. The steamer Bon Ami

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HUMAN RACE ONE AGAIN.

Startling Prediction Made by Bishop Hamilton.

Great Missionary Cities an Earnest of It.

Rev. Kennedy Acquitted of Burglary—Corpse Found.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EVERETT, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bishop John W. Hamilton of San Francisco astounded a congregation of Everett Methodists tonight by declaring that the entire race of mankind will soon be one again.

In the course of his address on the advancement attained during the nineteenth century, Bishop Hamilton said: "It is undeniable that the race was one race. Within a few generations it will be one again. This statement may shock your prejudices, but it is true nevertheless. All races are in progress of amalgamation, one with the other. There were four great epochal movements during the last century, which were almost evenly divided into four periods. These correspond with the words in the New Testament, which read: 'There is neither Jew nor Greek; there is neither bond nor free. There is neither male nor female, for ye are all one in Jesus Christ.'"

Bishop Hamilton continued: "The last twenty-five years of the last century saw the founding of great missionary cities, which, when analyzed, clearly showed unity of race."

BILLIONAIRE DOE DEAD.

PIONEER OF SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Charles Doe, a millionaire lumberman and pioneer, was found dead in his room at his home today. He was 71 years old. He had extensive lumber and land interests all over the State, and was owner of the St. Nicholas Hotel in this city.

Mr. Doe leaves an estate valued at between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000, which, it is said, has been bequeathed to relatives and nieces, as he had never married.

BROTHER CLALLAM CORPSE.

W. S. BROOKLIDGE OF TACOMA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOS ANGELES (Wash.) Jan. 17.—The body of a man supposed to be W. S. Brooklidge of Tacoma was found on the beach today. On the body was a watch bearing the name Clallam and a number of other articles which will serve to lead to the positive identification of the deceased, including the names F. Keown, on a pin, and another bearing the name and address A. H. Parks, No. 1018 Market street, were found on the body. Neither card bore the name of a city or town.

SETTLED ALASKAN CLAIMS.

MILLIONAIRES TAKEN IN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to the Skagway correspondent, William Fitzhugh, a mining promoter of London, has started for Dawson, accompanied by "Klondike" Stanley, to disclose to a syndicate of capitalists how they have been buncoed by trusted agents in Alaska. The Alaskan claims that a syndicate of London mining men purchased a big number of claims in Seventy Mile District, near Eagle, which have subsequently proved to have been salted. The reports of the syndicate were that the property was rich in gold.

Fitzhugh was sent out a year ago to investigate. His examination disclosed gold on a majority of the claims. There were indications that they had been salted, but winter came on too early to make sure. He came out this fall, and made tests which believed to show that the claims were salted for the purpose of securing big prices. As yet no statement has been made as to who is responsible. The syndicate incorporated the Klondike Estates Corporation, Limited, to handle the property and expected to install a big hydraulic plant. On Fitzhugh's advice the whole proposition will be cancelled. The syndicate is said to include John Hays Hammond and a number of South African millionaires.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Rev. Kennedy Acquitted.

HILLSBORO (Or.) Jan. 17.—The jury in the case of Rev. R. H. Kennedy, charged with the burglary of the residence of E. H. Warren at 2 o'clock in the morning of September 1, early today returned a verdict acquitting the accused.

When the dwelling of E. H. Warren, just outside the city limits, was entered, the masked burglar went into the room occupied by Mrs. B. F. Mackinder, a visitor from St. Helena. Mrs. Mackinder's screams brought Miss Warren and her father to the room. At the point of a revolver, Warren was compelled to enter another apartment, where he was confined. Mrs. Mackinder was relieved of a valuable watch, a costly ring and $7.50 in cash. In the afternoon of September 2, Rev. Kennedy was arrested on the charge of burglarizing the Warren residence.

BRIGGS BREAKS LOSE.

Union Theological Seminary Professor Starts Another Controversy by Attacking Apostolic Succession.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Rev. Charles A. Briggs of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, and professor in the Union Theological Seminary, has started another controversy. The president of the Church Club of New York, George McCollough Miller, has called the attention of Bishop Potter to a paper which Dr. Briggs read recently before the club, and Bishop Potter has asked Dr. Briggs for a copy of the paper for examination.

In his paper before the club, and in the comments with which he followed it, Dr. Briggs was understood by members of the club to say, among other things, that apostolic succession hung on a single historic thread; that, in point of universality, the Church of Rome had almost the only claim worth considering; that the Pope of Rome was right in the main, when he asserted that Anglican orders were invalid, from the Roman point of view.

CHICAGO POLICEMEN.

They Organize Association to Protect Its Members from Charges Made by Criminals and Grafters.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Members of Chicago's police force to the number of 300, and including patrolmen and officers of rank, today launched an organization to be known as the "Policemen's Protective Association." Its principal object, it is said, will be the protection of its members against charges made by criminals and evidence given by the latter to a local graft investigating committee.

The charges have resulted in the discharge of policemen, and they assert that their dismissal on such testimony is unjust. The graft committee was denounced.

RUSSIAN TALK DIMINISHES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 17.—Emperor Nicholas's pacific utterances, made during the New Year's reception at the Winter Palace in St. Petersburg, Thursday last, together with the favorable comments of the foreign press, which have been reproduced here, have created a splendid impression and also have had a good effect in perceptibly diminishing the war talk in army and navy circles, which were quick to take their cue from the assurances coming from the throne.

The newspapers which have been discussing the Far Eastern situation with clear freedom, have grown almost silent, and what they do say is commendatory of the improved prospects of peace.

KING CHRISTIAN'S TRAVELS.

GMUNDEN (Austria) Jan. 17.—King Christian of Denmark, who is now restored to health, left for Copenhagen today, accompanied by his daughter, the Duchess of Cumberland, and his son, Prince Waldemar.

IN FAVOR OF CANAL.

Interviews With Pacific Coast Legislators and Others Printed in New York Show Sentiment on This Coast.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In response to a call to the country for views on the subject of immediate proceeding with the Panama canal, interviews are published here in favor of its being rushed to completion. Some Pacific Coasters expressed themselves as follows:

Senator R. T. Devlin of Sacramento says: "I think the canal will be a great benefit to California, as it will bring us into closer communication with the eastern seaboard. I am in favor of any canal the Federal government may decide to build."

Senator W. B. Lardner: "At first, I was in favor of the Nicaragua route, but if the Panama route can be built and put into use more quickly, I favor that."

Senator Charles M. Shortridge: "The canal will mean a great deal to the commerce of this country, leaving out the question of its usefulness in times of war troubles."

Senator Joseph R. Knowland: "As long as we have proceeded so far in the effort to gain a passage through the isthmus, I say we should turn our attention to the Panama canal at once."

The Humboldt Times says: "Humboldt would be especially benefited by the canal. In comparison with the population of other counties, it would reap a greater benefit per capita than any other county in California, and possibly than any other country on the Pacific Coast."

Senator H. Holman of Portland, Or., says: "Being familiar with the importance of the shipping industry, I believe that the canal should be built and completed at the earliest possible date."

TEXAS BAILEY WILL RESIGN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HOUSTON (Tex.) Jan. 17.—In a signed statement wired to the Post tonight, Senator Bailey says that he will retire from public life before "dishonoring my State and party by voting for the ratification of the Panama treaty."

EDITORS JUMP OUT TO ESCAPE FLAMES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WHEELING (W. Va.) Jan. 17.—An entire block in the heart of the business district was burned today causing a loss of nearly $200,000. The fire originated in the boiler rooms of the Wheeling Daily News and spread rapidly, destroying that plant, the wholesale liquor house of Shaefer & Dryhorst and the extensive plant of the Lock Bros. Shoe Co. Several other buildings caught fire, but were saved.

The fire spread with such rapidity that the employés of the News had no chance to escape by the stairways and the night editor, Allen B. Smith, and his assistant, R. M. Archer, were forced to jump from the second-story window. They escaped with slight injuries. A few minutes later, the walls collapsed. The News carried but little insurance. The others were well insured.

FIRE IN MILLING PLANT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Fire in the Chicago Consolidated Milling and Malting Company plant today caused a loss of $75,000. Eight firemen lost their way in the smoke. Two of them were rendered unconscious, and the rest had nearly succumbed when other firemen cut a hole through the roof and rescued them.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., VISITED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 17.—The lumber yard of the Peter Vredenburg Company and several small buildings were destroyed by fire today. The Western and Commercial hotels near by were damaged by smoke and water, and the guests were forced to flee for their lives. The losses aggregate $100,000.

FATHER OF BRITISH NAVY PASSES AWAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Hon Henry Keppel, admiral of the fleet, is dead. He was born in 1809.

The death of Admiral Keppel, the "Father of the Navy," who retired from active service in 1869, but whose name has been kept at the head of the active list by a special order in council as a mark of respect, is the occasion for extended obituaries in the newspapers this morning. All of them refer to his great age and the notable and varied service he had rendered, and relate experiences he had had. Admiral Keppel lived under five sovereigns, and fought in every quarter of the globe. He was in robust health until recently, and visited Singapore when he was 90 years old.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] If Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, can carry out his plans, seventy-eight votes from New York in the Democratic National Convention, next July, will be cast on the first ballot for Mayor George B. McClellan, for President. Murphy's plan is to adopt the unit rule, and thus bind every Democratic delegate from New York State to the candidate of Murphy's choice.

"KID M'COY" MARRIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A telegram from Toronto, received tonight, contained the information that Indiola Arnold and "Kid McCoy," the pugilist, had been married. The telegram was signed by Townsend Walsh, business manager of the "Wizard of Oz." Walsh wired that the ceremony was performed in Providence, where the company appeared ten days ago, but was kept secret until yesterday. The bride has for several months played the Fairy Queen in "The Wizard of Oz."

GOV. SMITH WITHDRAWN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BALTIMORE, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. John Walter Smith is no longer a factor in the Maryland Senatorial race. To beat Isador Raynor, if possible, the Democratic managers at the conference held in Senator Gorman's house yesterday, decided that Gov. Smith could not win, much as they desired his selection. Bernard Carter is to go before the caucus at Annapolis tomorrow night, backed by all the influence of the machine for the nomination. The forced withdrawal of Smith was accomplished only after a heated discussion which lasted six hours.

FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago had a bright winter day, with a slight fall of snow in the evening. The maximum temperature was 23 degrees at 2 p. m.; minimum temperature 8 degrees at 1 a. m. Middle West temperatures: Albany 16, Cairo 39, Cheyenne 22, Cleveland 18, Davenport 22, Denver 46, Des Moines 24, Dodge City 48, Dubuque 11, Duluth 10 below, Escanaba 14, Grand Rapids 12, Green Bay 12, Havre 46, Huron 16, Indianapolis 36, Kansas City 44, Lander 28, Marquette 4, Milwaukee 22, Mendosa 4 above, Northead 14, Omaha 36, Pueblo 46, Rapid City 40, St. Louis 36, St. Paul 10, Salt Lake City 44, Sault Ste. Marie 4 below, Springfield (Ill.) 20, Springfield (Mo.) 44, Wichita 46.

HE DREAM HIS DEATH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RICHMOND (Ind.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The death of Jacob Harlan, 75 years old, a well-known resident of Union City and brother of the late A. Harlan of Portland, is attributed to a dream. Harlan retired in good health, but awoke shaking as with chills. He told his wife that he had dreamed that he was in a disaster and that his father tried to stop the team, but was run over. As he told the story his terror seemed to grow, and his wife tried to quiet him. While she was still speaking her husband gave a gasp or two and a few minutes expired. Medical examination showed that the immediate cause of death was heart failure.

EPIDEMIC OF DIPHTHERIA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DULUTH (Minn.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An epidemic of diphtheria is reported at Grand Marais, 150 miles from here, on the north shore of Lake Superior. After several deaths resulted, the only physician in the place was taken ill, and for days the sick have been without medical attendance. The steamer Bon Ami has arrived here for doctors and nurses, and will return tomorrow afternoon.

ABDUCTED WHILE HYPNOTIZED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEORIA (Ill.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By use of the power of hypnotism, two unknown men abducted Miss Ruby Brown, aged 15, from her home in Champaign, Ill., Friday morning. She was brought to Peoria on a Big Four train, but in the Union Station recovered her senses while her kidnapers were gone in search of a carriage, and made her escape through the baggage-room.

FROM HOSPITAL TO THEATER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANN ARBOR (Mich.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Paul Dickey, a university student, whose home is in Hyde Park, Chicago, got up from a hospital cot Saturday night, to take part in amateur theatricals. He had not recovered from the effects of an operation for appendicitis, and had, too, been ill since October with typhoid fever. When rehearsals began, he conspired with the hospital nurses, and twice a week, when it became dark at night, he was passed through the hospital window and taken in a closed carriage to rehearsal. Still under the doctor's care, Saturday night he left his bed for the play, and the audience that applauded him did not know that he was suffering intensely and that he was risking his life.

ROBBED CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DULUTH (Minn.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A man dressed as a mechanic robbed the Institute of the Sacred Heart, a Catholic school here, at noon by the game of "seeing if the lights were working properly." He said he was an electrician, and got away with indorsed checks to the amount of $400 and $100 in currency. The occupants of the building were at dinner at the time of the arrival of the alleged electrician, and he was left unmolested long enough to get into the strong box on the second floor.

HER TRAIL OF BLOOD.

School Teacher Hattie Pilcher of Miller, S. Dakota, is Arrested on Suspicion.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILLER (S. D.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hattie Pilcher, a school teacher, has been arrested, charged with assault in attempting to rob. She was found wounded in a room in the Henshaw House, and a trail of blood led back to Collins's drug store, where the clerk, William Quirk, was found bound to a bed and the safe robbed. He said two masked men did it.

Miss Pilcher's stories were so conflicting that it was decided to arrest her. At one time she said she was shot by two men, and again that it was done by a woman in man's clothing.

NOW FOR ALIMONY.

Mrs. Marion Egbert Starts from Peoria, Ill., on Another Long Stern Chase After Her Husband.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEORIA (Ill.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Marion Egbert will sail from New York on her way to Madras, India, in a few days, but the object of this trip is vastly different from that of a previous occasion. Then she succeeded in regaining custody of the child who had been kidnaped by her husband, Dr. Charles Egbert, in Chicago. The chase lasted for over a year, during which she traveled thousands of miles.

At the conclusion of the long stern chase, Mrs. Egbert, by decree from the courts of India was granted custody of her child, and a substantial alimony. Dr. Egbert shortly afterward departed from America, and was followed by his wife, who found that she could not collect alimony in this country. A few days ago she learned her husband was on his way to Madras, and she started at once in order to institute proceedings against him in the India courts and recover the amount due her, which is about $8000.

HERBERT SPENCER'S ADVICE.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The Times this morning publishes the text of a remarkable letter received by mail from its Tokio correspondent, which the late Herbert Spencer wrote in 1892, to Baron Kentaro Kaneko, who was educated in the United States and was graduated from Harvard University, who sought his advice on the policy of Japan. The gist of Spencer's advice to the Baron was to keep Europeans and Americans as much as possible at arm's length, and to take every precaution to give as little foothold as possible to foreigners, and furthermore, to absolutely forbid the marriage of Japanese with foreigners.

HOBSON'S MOTHER DEAD.

BOULDER (Colo.) Jan. 17.—The mother of Capt. Richmond P. Hobson died at the home of Shirley Davis today, after a long illness. Her son was with her when she died, and will leave with the remains tomorrow for Greensboro, Ala., where they will be interred. Mrs. Hobson was born at Richmond Hill, N. C., February 24, 1843. She came to Boulder last summer, and has since remained here on account of the benefit to her health.

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SERI INDIANS NOT HOSTILE.

NO TRUTH IN REPORT THAT THEY ARE ON WARPATH.

An Interesting People—Little Mineral in Seri Country—Rural Families Object to Free Delivery—Water Storage in San Pedro Valley.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Jan. 16.—Stories that the Seri Indians of Sonora have gone on the warpath are on a par with similar tales anent the Yaquis. Late arrivals from the Sonora gulf coast say the Seris were never quieter. More than a little rot has been published about the Seris ever since the time R. E. L. Robinson disappeared upon Tiburon Island. It has been believed that the Seris are cannibals, and that they have successfully defied Spaniards and Mexicans for centuries. The facts are that American prospectors have gone freely into the Seri country, both on Tiburon Island and on the mainland, and have not been molested.

The Indians differ little from their neighbors, the Cocopahs. Few of them have weapons, and their main source of food lies in the shell fish of the shore. Their country has been well prospected by Americans, and has been searched from end to end by the Mexicans, the best prospectors of all. But practically no minerals of value have been found. Yet the Seris occasionally bring gold into the Mexican towns. One of the fantastic tales of the locality is that, at an undetermined point on the coast, a great ledge of gold ore runs from the top of a mountain down into the gulf and that the waves break upon it and polish the gold till the promontory reflects back the light in a dazzling flood.

DON'T WANT RURAL ROUTE.

Rural Route Agent De la Montanya has had a remarkable experience in Eastern Arizona. For more than a year Delegate Wilson of Arizona and Delegate Rodey of New Mexico have been laboring to secure a rural route from Duncan, mainly for the benefit of families across the line in New Mexico. Montanya found that only the postmaster at Duncan favored the projected improvement, which would serve to keep the ranchers from the attractions of frontier gin mills. It was with difficulty he could even hire a conveyance for his inspection trip. On the route he found seventy families, but only five of them seemed to particularly desire the service. The Duncan rural route will not be established.

A party of engineers of the hydrographic division of the Geological Survey, headed by Henry Evans, is at work in the San Pedro Valley, near Benson, investigating the possibilities of water storage. Near Charleston the San Pedro flows through a narrow gorge, in which it is believed an adequate dam can be constructed with a minimum of cost. Of land there is plenty, and of excellent quality. In the same district are scores of artesian wells, a flow of water being usually found within a few hundred feet. A significant fact in connection with this enterprise is that the San Pedro is one of the principal affluents of the Gila, and if water is stored at Charleston it will be at the expense of the lands around Florence.

STRANGE CHINESE WEDDING.

On New Year's Day at Cananea, a Chinese merchant put in a busy day. He was baptized a Roman Catholic, after several months of preparation, confessed and was married to a handsome Mexican girl. The wedding is said to have been attended with exceptional ceremony and to have been a "very fashionable one."

At Lordsburg the local authorities have discovered in an old well a startling assortment of valuable merchandise, including trunks, valuable vases, a sewing machine and many other articles. The well is believed to have been the cache of thieves who have been operating for years on the contents of freight cars in the Lordsburg yards of the Southern Pacific.

There is no truth in the report of a strike at the Copper Queen smelter at Douglas. A few men quit work because refused higher wages, and their places were filled at once.

There is also no truth in the report that the abandonment of Fort Grant has been reconsidered by the War Department. A small garrison is maintained, but there are no indications that the original purpose of the department will not be carried out.

The real reason for the failure of the International Bank at Douglas is said to have been troubled relations between John Dysart, president and main stockholder in the bank, and the directors of the Sonora Mining and Milling Company. It is alleged that Dysart appropriated 50,000 shares of treasury stock of the company to his own uses, and that President Con O'Keefe of the Sonora company is about to proceed against him civilly.

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OBITUARY.

Dr. P. F. Hyatt.

WILLIAMSPORT (Pa.) Jan. 17.—Dr. P. F. Hyatt, who was United States Consul at Santiago de Cuba for five years, prior to the outbreak of the Spanish-American War, died at his home in Jersey Shore tonight, aged 68. During the Civil War, Dr. Hyatt was surgeon of Carver Hospital, Washington, D. C., and in the bitter presidential fight in 1876, he was sent to Florida as the personal representative of Samuel J. Tilden, to superintend the counting of the vote in that State.

Francis A. White.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Francis A. White, a well-known resident of Everett, Wash., died in this city today, aged 50 years. He was one of the pioneers of Nebraska and the Central West, becoming one of the proprietors and owners of the first stage line to run between Omaha and Denver. He was largely interested in railroad construction and banking in the Middle West. Later, he removed to New York, becoming interested in the New York, Rutland and Montreal Railroad, also the Toledo and Columbus Southern Railroad. He was one of a party of passengers on the first train to run from New York to Albany. In 1876 he was one of the promoters of the New York Consolidated Mining Stock Exchange, and was a successful operator in Wall street.

SMITHSON'S REMAINS ARRIVE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The United States dispatch boat Dolphin, Commander J. H. Gibbons, from Washington, D. C., arrived here today under orders of the Navy Department to await the arrival of the North German Lloyd liner, Princess Irene, from Genoa, which is due to arrive Tuesday and which bears the remains of James Smithson, founder of the Smithsonian Institution. The Dolphin will meet the Princess Irene in New York's lower bay, and escort the vessel to her dock. The coffin containing the remains will be transferred to the Dolphin, which will take it to Washington.

ITALIANS COMING OVER.

ROME, Jan. 17.—The United States continues to be the chief objective point of Italian emigration, the number of emigrants going there in 1903 reaching a total of nearly 250,000. The government has intrusted Adolphe Rossi, inspector of emigrants, with a mission to the United States for the purpose of studying the best means of directing Italians to the agricultural States and preventing their concentration in the large towns. He will leave Rome at the end of January.

NOZALDEA'S LIBEL SUITS.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says that Monsignor Nozaldes, who was recently appointed archbishop of Valencia, is suing several Madrid newspapers for libel. The correspondent adds that it is an open secret that the Vatican advised Monsignor Nozaldes to decline the archbishopric. He is expected to do so after the government has defended him in the Cortes.

ISLE OF PINES GRIEVANCE.

HAVANA, Jan. 17.—United States Consul Steinhardt, having declined to interfere in the grievances which the American residents of the Isle of Pines have against Mayor Sanchez of Nuevo Cerino, in connection with the arrest and imprisonment of Morgan Pearcy, the son of a prominent American, a petition to President Roosevelt is being prepared for the signatures of the Americans.

FRANZ JOSEF OPTIMISTIC.

VIENNA, Jan. 17.—During the presentation of the general circle at the court ball last evening, Emperor Francis Joseph said to Ambassador Storer: "I think that affairs are going to be better in the Far East. Everything will be arranged."

His Majesty spoke in a similarly hopeful strain to other members of the diplomatic corps.

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YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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BROADWAY VAN NUYS—W. M. Pitcher, San Diego; W. J. Graves, Silver Creek, Neb.; M. G. Dana, Miss Jennie Ball, Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. Martha J. Dyer, Los Angeles; Mrs. R. A. Woodward, wife and son, Norwalk, O.; J. C. Hoffman and wife, Burgaw, Mrs. E. A. Hopkins, Pasadena; Mrs. Florence W. Crosby, Whittier; Miss Edith F. Nourse, Lowell, Mass.; Mrs. Goodrich, Kendall, Kansas; Mrs. E. G. Hall, San Francisco; Mrs. W. Hennessey, Los Angeles; wife and child, San Diego; R. F. Wilson, New York; A. G. Hagedorn and wife, Chicago; Mrs. W. F. Edwards, Chicago; Mrs. Ellen Hugo Gimenez, Joseph Gimenez, San Francisco; Miss Ruth Primble, Los Angeles; D.; Miss Gertrude Miller, Bakersfield; Mrs. Mrs. R. Jewett, W. W. Richards, Lenhardt, Mrs. George A. Conklin, Trinidad, Colo.; Mrs. S. Bauer, A. W. Blow, San Francisco.

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TO CUT OUT BEGGARS.

Movement to be Pushed by Police Commission—Merchants and Public Aroused by Exposures of Associated Charities.

THE exposé in Sunday's Times of Henry Howard, the rich beggar, and his two-wheeled graft, has given fresh impetus to the effort to rid the city of mendicants and ragamen who flock to Los Angeles from colder climes to here pass the winter months in preying on the public.

Mayor Snyder has taken the cause in hand, and it is his purpose to push it before the Police Commissioners with the hope of finding some way in which to deal with the maimed, the halt and the blind, the crippled sharpers and sore rogues who fatten upon public sympathy and give to Los Angeles something of the apperance of a Neapolitan lazzaretto.

All too long this beggarly element, posing as venders of trifles, has utilized our streets in plying their vocation, imposing upon the benevolent, and in many instances resorting to fraudulent devices to attract passers-by, and secure the coveted contribution.

Those who object to measures being taken against these public charges will find ample reason for changing their views on investigation. It will be found that many, though crippled, who daily solicit alms, have comfortable bank accounts, while others hold up the public in order to secure means to gratify vicious lusts and appetites.

In reviewing the situation last evening Mayor Snyder said:

GRAFTERS AND VULTURES.

"I have long been desirous of driving from our city the unsightly gang of grafters and vultures who frequent our streets, obtruding their misfortunes upon pedestrians, and pleading for alms. Their appearance upon the streets is a matter of wonderment to strangers, and the question is often asked if Los Angeles is not able to care for its unfortunates. I am very careful in giving out permits to alleged peddlers, in every case demanding an unqualified indorsement from some business man who has known them, and can vouch for their worth. Of those appearing upon our business streets but one has a permit from me. That is the blind man who reads the Bible. I know that this man is worthy of the help he receives. And then in giving him a permit I felt that I was encouraging the missionary spirit. You see many of our people are too busy or indifferent to read a passage of scripture, but they do stop for a moment and listen to the old blind reader. Perhaps the old man is doing a good work.

"But these other fellows going about in wheeled chairs, dragging themselves along on crutches and wallowing on the sidewalks should be removed. But just how to reach them is the question. There is a State law giving them certain privileges and unless it can be determined that they are fakers or are vicious it would seem that they must needs be tolerated.

"It is my purpose to coöperate with the Police Commissioners and if possible rid our city of this unsightly, preying element. I shall cause every one of them to be fully investigated, and if it is found that they are imposters or have no claim upon charity they will be forced to move on. Climatic conditions make Los Angeles a desirable place for beggars to winter and they seem to have made the most of it."

VIEWS OF "REX."

F. J. Zeehandelaar, secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, has positive views in regard to the manner in which our citizens are imposed upon by the unfortunates of other cities. He is heartily in favor of taking steps to rid the city of its scourge of beggars and relieving the streets of unsightly, offensively-insistent pleaders for charity. In an interview last evening Mr. Zeehandelaar said:

"Los Angeles seems to be a Mecca for the mendicants of the entire country who, during the winter months, find asylum here, and incidentally reap a rich harvest of dimes—yes, and dollars—from citizens of benevolent bent.

"The dollars gathered in, however, is the least objectionable feature of the situation. These misshapen, and in many cases dissipated, and vicious contraptions, have no claim upon our citizens, but, attracted by the climate, migrate regularly to our city for the winter months. Their appearance on the streets gives to our city an uncanny appearance and strangers conclude that here in the City of Angels, the unfortunate are left to the public for care and consideration. The fact is, Los Angeles has no beggar element of its own. These freaks come from abroad and their itinerary is simply a matter of business. Anyone of these people gather in from dollars daily that are earned by skilful laborers. And with the advent of the summer months slip away to a more congenial climate.

"Drastic measures should be taken to force these people to move on—to the community that owes them a support. When an incompetent or unfortunate, dependent upon charity, drifts into our city they should be submitted to an examination by the police and, ascertaining the city from whence they came, send them back. This would be good work for the Associated Charities. The unfortunate should be well cared for, but the riffraff of other cities should not be permitted to parade their misfortunes upon our public streets.

"If the benevolent would only use a little discretion in some of their giving and heed the repeated warnings given, some of the objectionable creatures infesting the city would seek other fields for lack of support. To my own personal knowledge some of these making the most pitious appeals spend their easy dimes and dollars in the saloon and in evil resorts. Some time ago I exposed a creature who was posing as a Spanish war veteran, wounded in battle. He was proven to be a criminal, had never been to the Philippines, and that his wound was nothing but a scrofulous sore, and yet he went right on plying his trade and our good people continued to increase his bank account. I shall gladly and heartily indorse any movement calculated to reduce this vicious, beggarly element to the minimum."

TOO EASY, SAYS BOWEN.

"Something should be done at once to rid the city of the unsightly element preying upon the charitably inclined," said W. M. Bowen, president of the City Council, last evening. "We have been too lenient with these fellows and they have become an insufferable nuisance. They don't belong to us. They have no permanent abiding place in any city—the flotsam and jetsam of the earth. True, they should be cared for, but they should not be permitted to disgrace our streets or to work unlawful schemes upon a generous public. There should some way be found to force them into institutions and kept there. In many instances they are vicious and unworthy, making capital of their misfortune, giving to our city the appearance of a hospital and branding us as incapable of caring for our unfortunate. The Henry Howard case is not the exception. If some of our tender-hearted people could see where their money goes, or know how well fixed some of these beggars are, their benevolent nature would experience a shock. Rid the city of the whole bunch and a good work will have been performed."

MERCHANTS PERSECUTED.

Among the aroused merchants is Arthur Letts, proprietor of the Broadway Department Store, who declares that he for one, is thoroughly disgusted by the graft of the band of beggars who are menacing the welfare of this city. He has given the matter thought and says that the nuisance must be stamped out at all costs. He was primed on the subject yesterday afternoon, when interviewed by a Times reporter and said:

"Perhaps no man is better able to judge of the graft of the average beggar than a store keeper. Of course, there may be found a worthy case now and then, but these sufferers do not stand on the street corners and in nine cases our of ten the begging is not a case of charity but simply a case of graft. Furthermore it is often blackmail and the business man, who has more troubles than he can look after, simply pays the beggar something to get rid of him. They come into my store by the score and I have actually been threatened with blackmail if I did not yield to their demands. I believe that I know a worthy case when I see one and it is only such beggars that I will notice.

"The remedy which I would suggest lies in the power of the Associated Charities. I have seen the scheme worked successfully in other cities and I believe that it could be done here. The method is the issuance of checkbooks of charity by the association, the checks to be bought by the dispensers of charity and issued by them as they see fit. Upon the presentation of a signed check by a beggar the association considers the presenter, judges his case, and if deemed worthy the check is cashed. If not worthy the person who gave the check is notified and the amount is still held to his credit to be disposed as he sees fit, subject to the judgment of the association. To make this scheme possible there are two things necessary: first, that the committee having the matter in charge for the Associated Charities must be well looked into and be a committee above graft itself; and secondly, the people must enter into the proposition and refrain from giving cash to any solicitor of charity. It stands to reason that any beggar who is not willing to subject his case to the Associated Charities has some other end in view than the maintenance of life, and if his motive is one of graft it is up to the association to find it out and make public the decision. Surely under such conditions the distributors of charity should be willing to put themselves to the trouble of applying for the check books. The public is fully as important as the individual and this fact should be taken into consideration.

"I am deeply interested in the outcome of this social question, for I am free to admit that I have been persecuted in the same way that all large business houses are persecuted and I am ready to give the matter careful thought. The large dealer, instead of paying off the grafter to get rid of him should spend all the more time to do away with an evil which is menacing the reputation of this city. The genuine cases of need have my unbounded sympathy and will always receive a hearing at my hands, but I can not but feel that about 99 per cent. of the demands are graft and I take it as a certainty, that all cases found on the street corner are professionals and should be discouraged instead of encouraged by the public."

PUBLIC TO BLAME.

"I was glad to see this morning that you have renewed your campaign against the grafting beggars of this city," said George J. Birkel yesterday afternoon. "I have been noticing of late a large increase in the number of these fakirs and I suppose that it is due to the mild climate which we enjoy out here during the winter months. It is amazing to me that people do not see through the graft which these beggars play upon the public. True, many of them are deformed and apparently in needy circumstances. As to the former, it is all the more reason why they should be kept off the street and as to the latter there are numerous charitable institutions in this city which would be glad to help them, but the beggars repulse their assistance for it is the cold hard cash that they are after and they can get more of it by their graft than they could by accepting the help of any institution.

"You ask a remedy. There is but one. The remedy rests with the general public. Some there are who blame the city officials for not stopping the nuisance but so long as that same public continues to feed the illegitimate business of the professional beggar, just so long will the people have to put up with it. The city officials are not to blame and the remedy must be found with the people."

THEY ARE EYESORES.

"It is seldom that I meet with a deserving case among the many beggars who come into my store," said George A. Ralphs the grocer, "and the number is increasing faster than the wonderful growth of the city. The advertisement which Los Angeles is getting all through the East has a tendency to bring all kinds of grafters out here, and the corner beggar is becoming an evil. I am heartily in favor of any law which will do away with the eyesores that greet us on all sides. Let Los Angeles once get the reputation of being infested with beggars and it will take her several years to disprove it. I simply use my own judgment in the cases which come to my notice, but I know that probably my favorable judgment is often wrong, so well gotten up are many of the beggars. I believe in charity, but in the case of the corner beggar the money given advances a class directly opposed to charity and charitable institutions, for its members know that true charity will find them out and they hate the charitable institutions."

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BISHOP CONSECRATES BEAUTIFUL ALTAR.

THE ALTAR CEREMONIES.

ST. JOSEPH'S Church, corner of Twelfth and Los Angeles streets, was filled with large congregations at the various services yesterday morning, and many Catholics from other parishes of the city witnessed the ceremonies as Bishop Conaty consecrated the high altar.

This service began at 6:45 and at that hour the large body of the church was filled with devout worshippers. Bishop Conaty was assisted by Rev. P. Victor, O.F.M., rector of the parish; Rev. Father Placidus, O.F.M.; Rev. Nesimus Lunny, O.F.M., and Rev. J. M. Lilley, C.M., of St. Vincent's College. Brother Adrian, architect of St. Joseph's Church, was also present.

In the center of the marble slab which forms the table of the altar is prepared a receptacle for the relics of the martyrs, as it is the intention of the church that whenever possible the mass shall be offered up over the relics of those who have died for their faith.

Yesterday morning, as the assembled priests responded to the intonation of the bishop's prayers, relics of St. Innocent, Bishop of Rome, or Pope under the title of Innocent I., were placed in the stone of the altar, and the receptacle was sealed.

Bishop Conaty then anointed the stone with the holy oil and the chrism, and after the prayers of consecration he offered up the first mass on the newly consecrated high altar.

St. Innocent, whose relics are deposited here, was Bishop of Rome from 402 to 417. He died March 12 of the latter year. It was during his pontificate that Rome was sacked by Alaric, King of the Goths.

At 9 o'clock high mass was celebrated by Rev. O. Lunny, O.F.M., and Rev. P. Victor, O.F.M., preached on the sacrament of confirmation, and what it means to Catholics.

At the close of this sermon, seventy-six candidates received this rite from Bishop Conaty. There were six adults, and five converts. In the class were thirty-six girls, and they presented a beautiful picture as, clad in their white dresses, wearing the long white veils and the wreaths of flowers, they pressed forward to the altar rail to receive the blessing of the bishop.

Yesterday afternoon Father Victor held a meeting for the Sodality of St. Francis, and last night Father Placidus officiated at the vespers and benediction.

STORM DRIVING DOWN THE COAST.

WHOOPEE! Save your money and buy a raft!

Bring forth the festive gum boots and the blithe steam launch!

Or else straightway seek the lofty spots on the mountains, nor stand upon the order of your going!

The deluge is coming—no bluff this time—and unless all signs fail you'll mighty soon wish you were the seal in Westlake Park so that you can go downtown without getting wet.

Yesterday, when the Big Chief Weather Man in San Francisco reached for the telegraph key and began to mechanically say: "Fair tomorrow; light winds," there was a commotion among his instruments which caused him to speedily sit up and take notice. And what he saw made him wildly grab for the key again and send this glorious message along the wire: "Special forecast for California—Rain tonight and Monday."

Sounds like business, doesn't it?

Earlier in the day the San Francisco weather man telegraphed the local Weather Bureau to advise north-bound vessels of a storm on the Oregon coast, accompanied by rain, and rapidly moving southward.

This in itself was good news, but shortly after the first message was received there came another, the special forecast given above, which contained the actual promise of immediate rain.

Local conditions yesterday all pointed to the correctness of the prophecy, the heavy clouds and wet-weather odors in the air holding out eloquent promise of the much-needed moisture.

HOLD-UP TOOK PLACE "OVER THERE SOM'ERS."

JACOB NEFF of Fallbrook, San Diego county, thinks he has been badly treated in Los Angeles. Neff claims to be the victim of a hold-up game to the extent of about $148, but can give no description of his hold-up acquaintances, nor can he tell just where the affair occurred.

Neff came to Los Angeles Saturday night, according to his story, told the police yesterday, with a check for $139 in his clothes. He went to the Arcade Hotel, where the check was cashed, and after paying for a room placed the remainder of his money in his pocket and started out to see the town. He saw it, all right, and had a good time until the early morning hours, when he found himself in a "dark and dangerous" locality. Before he could find his way back to the hotel three men set upon him, he says, and while one held a sack over his head the other two proceeded to relieve him of all of his cash, together with other valuables.

The place of the hold-up was described as "over there som'ers," by Neff, as he waved his hand toward the wide world opening to his vision in the northeastern part of the city. His description of the robbers was just about as vague.

POLITICIAN IN JAIL.

Efforts of Members of the Underworld to Secure His Release are Futile.

Sam Adams, once a power in ward politics, a painter by trade and formerly a delegate to most of the political conventions, is a prisoner in the City Jail, and is likely to remain so for some time to come. He was arrested early yesterday morning after a night's debauch during which he made things decidedly lively on Sixth street between Main and Spring. He went into a house of questionable repute and because he could not induce the women in charge to give him exclusive possession, proceeded to break up the place. As a house wrecker he proved his ability, for when he got through two rooms looked as if they had been dynamited. The police were called, but Adams had left. The officers found him later and placed him under arrest. He was refused bail, and all day yesterday certain more or less notorious characters, who think they have a "pull," tried to secure his release, but without success. The police insisted upon holding him until the court passes upon his case. Adams was furious when he was locked up, and threatened to have every member of the police force discharged.

The political biography of Sam Adams would make interesting reading. Once a "push" politician with a large following, he was found to have been false to his constituents, and was shelved. He has been since then cavorting on the outer edge of the political arena, while morally he has descended to a level which has caused him to be shunned by his former associates.

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Policeman is Exonerated for Killing Fugitive.

Judge Says Officers Must Often Act Quickly.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Superior Judge Oster's address to the jury in the Smithson manslaughter case, which terminated in a verdict of acquittal for Police Officer John Smitheon who shot and killed Charles Dodson, a young rowdy, while the latter was attempting to avoid arrest, is regarded as one of the most remarkable addresses ever made from the local bench, and most timely, owing to the continued acts of lawlessness in every community. The Judge said:

"Gentlemen of the Jury: It is not my custom to comment from the bench on a verdict rendered from my court. But this case is one of peculiar public interest, and speaking not only as presiding judge but as a citizen and resident of this city, I want to say to you that I heartily approve your verdict. Let it be understood first of all that I thoroughly sympathize with the relatives and friends of Mr. Dodson in their bereavement. It is a serious thing under any circumstances to take human life; and I think I am but voicing the universal sentiment of the community when I say that I believe the death of Dodson is deeply deplored. Every one regrets it, and I venture to say none more so than the defendant himself.

LAW MUST BE OBEYED.

"But while in common with others I regret the death of Dodson I think this verdict will save a salutary effect in at least two respects. First of all it will have a tendency to inform peace officers of their rights and duties when called upon to arrest persons charged with infractions of the law. In the second place this verdict is equivalent to notice to all real or suspected lawbreakers that the people of this county do not approve of any act which looks like a defiance of the law or authority of those called upon as peace officers to enforce the law.

"It is a well-known fact that this city is afflicted with a good many young men who may be properly classified as hoodlums. This verdict which you have just rendered is of particular importance as a notice to them that the people of this county, whether acting as jurors or otherwise, propose to give the peace officers the benefit of every doubt in cases of this character.

"There may be those who think that Mr. Smithson acted hastily and unwisely in shooting under the circumstances developed by the testimony in this case. I am inclined to think myself that he did so. But we must remember that when a policeman or other officer is called upon to arrest real or suspected lawbreakers and there is any disposition to question his authority or evade the same, the officer is put in a position where he must think and act quickly. And even if a calm survey of his conduct does warrant a belief that he has in a given case acted hastily, we must remember that the officer has had no such opportunity for calm deliberation, but was placed in a position where he must think and act quickly.

INVOLVES SOCIETY'S STABILITY.

"Let the young men of this town, and I may say the old ones also, remember one thing; that an officer in the performance of his duty represents the majesty of the law, the stability of society, and when he calls upon you to surrender yourself into custody or in any manner to hold yourself accountable for an alleged infraction of the law, the safest and best course is to submit to his restraint and authority. If you have done nothing wrong you need have no need of fear of the consequences. If you have done wrong and seek to evade the officer, you subject yourself to the dangerous consequences which befell Dodson in this case.

"In conclusion let it be understood by all persons in this community that the dignity of the law must and shall be upheld; and if officers in an honest endeavor to enforce the law make mistakes, public opinion will incline strongly toward them and generally give them the benefit of the doubt."

WATER OF LIFE.

Welcome Rain Brings a Theme for Francis Murphy's Sunday Night Sermon.

The welcome patter of the long-desired rain fell on the roof at Blanchard Hall last night, and furnished to Francis Murphy a fitting theme for his discourse to the faithful of people.

Mr. Murphy took for his text Isaiah 8-7, which refers to the drouth sent upon the lands in olden times. From this text the speaker brought forth a vivid picture of the distressed conditions which prevail when the rain is withholden from the thirsty land, and compared the lands of the Bible history with this southland, so similar in many points.

As a sequence Mr. Murphy passed from the discussion of the distress of drouth to the blessings of rain and an abundance of water in the temporal life, and then made the application of the idea of the "Water of Life," flowing freely for all who willed to partake.

Pressing this thought strongly upon his hearers, the temperance apostle made a plea to those who were under the dominion of strong drink, and urged them to come out for the use of God's pure water in their physical life, and for the partaking of the "Water of Life" for their spiritual natures.

Dr. Frank DeWitt Talmage, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was introduced by Mr. Murphy, who said that Talmage's father had been the pastor of the Murphy children for several years, and that the son had his deepest love and sympathy. Dr. Talmage made an interesting talk, in which he spoke of the wonderful and far-reaching work accomplished by Murphy in Pittsburgh, and pledged himself to do all in his power to aid him in the work now being carried on in Los Angeles.

A feature of the meeting which was of deep interest was the testimonies given by the many converts who had been reached through the influence of these Murphy meetings. Solos were sung by Charles Lamb and J. W. Eccleston, and at the conclusion of the addresses Mrs. Murphy and her corps of workers went through the audience to speak to those who had signified their desire to abandon the drink evil, and pinned to many a lappel the blue ribbon of the total abstainer. Most of the pledge-signers were mature men, and the temperance forces gathered many recruits.

This week Mr. Murphy will again begin his campaign among the industrial concerns of Los Angeles. He plans to hold noon-time meetings in several of the machine shops, and will be glad to hear from employers who wish to have him meet their men.

TROUBLE CAUSED HYSTERIA.

Electrician Taken to Hospital Suffering from What Was Thought to be Dose of Poison.

Robert Baker, an electrician employed by the Pacific Light and Power Company, was found in the rear of the Metropole saloon on South Main street, near Fourth, last night in convulsions. So strong were the spasms that the combined strength of half a dozen men could not keep him still, and in a patrol wagon, which was summoned to take him to the Receiving Hospital, even the straps with which he was bound did not hold him on the stretcher. At the Receiving Hospital he writhed as if in great pain, and for a time it was supposed that he had taken strychnia. Drs. Bonynge and Myers were called in the absence of the hospital surgeons, and after an hour's work, they succeeded in quieting the patient. It was found that he was suffering simply from hysteria, caused by brooding over domestic trouble.

A number of Baker's friends told the police that his wife had taken a mixture of chloroform and carbolic acid several days ago, but whether by accident or otherwise, they could not say positively. It is known that Baker has had domestic trouble, and that he had been brooding over it.

DOES US PROUD.

Handsome Number of the Banking and Law Journal Tributo to Los Angeles.

With reference to the visit to Los Angeles of the members of the American Bankers' Association last fall, following the convention of that organization in San Francisco, the Banking and Law Journal of New York publishes, in its December issue, a splendid illustrated article on Los Angeles, its social, financial and climatic conditions, prepared by Alfred F. White of that publication, who was here with the eastern financiers.

The article, accompanied by twenty-one illustrations of this city and environs, begins: "True to its reputation for hospitality, Los Angeles provided royal entertainment for the delegates and visitors to the American Bankers' Association in San Francisco," and after a description of the general entertainment received here, ending with the sumptuous banquet at the Angelus, which scene is shown in a full page engraving, the writer continues:

"During their visit the bankers from the East were convinced of the claims of Los Angeles as a city of wonderful growth, great achievements and immense possibilities. As an example of the most wonderful attainments in the evolution of a modern city in the shortest time, Los Angeles is unique. This was best comprehended by those who had in former years visited the metropolis of Southern California and therefore had seen with their own eyes the transition."

In the matter of buildings, the Journal says of Los Angeles: "Nowhere else will one see such a prodigious proportion of building operations in active process. Great business buildings, eight, nine, twelve stories high, fit to grace the greatest city in the land, are going up on all sides, while in the residence districts are to be seen blocks of dwellings that seem to have grown like mushrooms over night, so rapidly have they made their appearance—dwellings costing as much as $100,000 appearing as if by magic."

The street and interurban trolley car system is declared the best in the world, and the various State banks are described with pictures.

PERSONAL.

Charles Franklin, a manufacturer of Grand Rapids, is a guest at the Angelus.

E. E. Hendrick, president of the Hendrick Manufacturing Company, Carbondale, Pa., makers of sheet iron, is a tourist visitor.

A. P. Donnally, formerly of the Net House, Cincinnati, has taken the position of chief steward at the Ramona, lately held by Mr. Pratt, who has gone to Arizona to manage the Metropole.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Hopkins and E. A. Hopkins, of Providence, R. I., are guests at the Muya Broadway.

PERUVIAN FRENCH.

LIMA (Peru) Jan. 8.—The government has granted permission for the use of freight trains on a line of 29 kilometers between the new American railway between Arova on the Central railway and Ninety-five miles from Lima, and Pasco, the capital of the department of Ynia.

Giving Bryan a Dinner.

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 17.—Five hundred tickets have been sold for the "dollar dinner" to be given tonight in honor of W. J. Bryan.

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PERSONAL.

Charles Trankla, a furniture manufacturer of Grand Rapids, Mich., is a guest at the Angelus.

E. B. Hendrick, president of the Hendrick Manufacturing Company, Carbondale, Pa., makers of perforated sheet iron, is a tourist at the Angelus.

A. P. Donnelly, formerly of the Planet House, Cincinnati, has accepted the position of chief clerk of the Westminster, lately held by E. J. Pierce, who has gone to Avalon to manage the Metropole.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burgess and Mrs. E. A. Hopkins, tourists, from Providence, R. I., are guests of the Nuys Broadway.

PERUVIAN FREIGHT TRAINS.

LIMA (Peru) Jan. 17.—The government has granted permission for the use of freight trains having a speed of 20 kilometers an hour to be run on the new American railway between Arroya on the Arequipa ninety-five miles from Lima, to the city of Pasco, the capital of the department of Ynia.

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WOODLAWN.

Special evangelistic services have been held for the past two weeks at the recently-organized Trinity Congregational Church, corner of Thirty-sixth and San Julian streets. Rev. C. S. Billings, assisted the pastor, Rev. C. W. Howkins. Several conversions are reported.

Rev. W. B. Bell, Southern California conference evangelist, has been assisting the pastor in the special meetings at Vincent Methodist Church the past week.

A $1900 cottage is being built at No. 339 East Thirty-third street by J. H. Martin.

Mrs. A. D. Downey is building a $1400 residence at No. 138 East Vernon avenue.

ANGELENO HEIGHTS.

The Temple-street Child Study Circle met at the school Wednesday afternoon and was addressed by Dr. Arthur Houghton. There was also a programme of music and readings.

Etta E. Phillips is building a $1500 cottage at No. 761 Kensington road. A similar house is being built at No. 765 on this street for Nellie B. Butler.

Dr. H. A. Newell of Bellevue avenue, former pastor of the Bethany Presbyterian Church, has been engaged as stated supply for one year by the recently-organized Presbyterian Church at Hollywood. This church starts with a membership of twenty-five.

Mrs. C. E. Smith and Miss Nina Smith of Port Arthur, Tex., are the guests of Mayor and Mrs. M. P. Snyder at their home on Ionia street.

SOUTH LOS ANGELES.

A linen shower was tendered Miss Lulu Hull by her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Reber, and sister, Mrs. A. L. Stoll, at No. 702 East Adams street, Saturday afternoon, in honor of her marriage which will take place the latter part of January to Ralph B. Lloyd. The parlor, reception hall and dining-room were artistically decorated in red and white. A literary and musical programme was rendered. Receiving and opening of many gifts afforded much pleasure. The favors were white linen bags filled with home made candy.

Mrs. A. Benjeman of No. 1157 East Twentieth street entertained the members of the Merry-Go-Round Club Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. A. Hammel, Mrs. Al Smits, Mrs. Bevan, Mrs. C. Resseler, Mrs. A. Rusche, Mrs. Pasten, Mrs. Guthrie, Mrs. Percels, Mrs. Bets and Mrs. Benjeman. The club will be entertained in two weeks by Mrs. Percele.

A dinner party was given Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gilhousen in honor of Col. and Mrs. John Sobieski. Other guests were Rev. and Mrs. Edwin H. Fretz, Mr. and Mrs. Lounis Gilhousen, Miss Martha E. Fretz of Philadelphia, Mary Fretz and Howard Gilhousen.

Special evangelistic services are in progress at the Central Avenue Congregational Church, the pastor, Dr. N. L. Rowell, being assisted by Mrs. S. E. Taylor, a regularly ordained minister of the Congregational Church, who was for six years pastor of churches in Colorado.

Seven new members were received into the Hamilton Methodist Church last Sunday.

A residence to cost $1400 is now in course of building at No. 1143 East Adams street for Charles Pease.

J. A. Biren is the owner of a $1700 cottage being built at No. 1443 East Twenty-first street.

A $1100 cottage is being built for V. H. Theobald at No. 2411 San Pedro street. He is also building one to cost $1400 at No. 2415 San Pedro street.

J. W. Wright is building a $1300 cottage at No. 1340 East Twenty-third street.

J. A. Biren at No. 443 East Twenty-first street is building a $1650 residence.

THE SOUTHWEST.

The Independent Whist Club was entertained on Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. August Marquis of No. 1940 Union avenue. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Beasing, Dr. and Mrs. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Koebig, Mr. and Mrs. Youngblood, Dr. and Mrs. Hagadorn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Detmer, Mr. and Mrs. Valliket, Miss Youngblood and Mr. Walter Koebig. Mrs. Koebig and Dr. Hagadorn won the prizes. After refreshments, dancing and music occupied the time until a late hour.

Last Thursday at Centennial Methodist Church both home and foreign missionary societies were organized. Mrs. P. H. Bodkin, conference secretary for the home society, and Mrs. Oliver, district organizer for the foreign work, were both present and gave addresses.

Mrs. I. Brown, of No. 1313 Linwood avenue, was hostess at an afternoon affair Friday last. The house was decorated in roses and carnations. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with cards and music, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: The Mmes. M. Goldberg, H. Goldberg, M. S. Kornbloom, A. Morris, S. Kafka, L. Hess, P. Steinhart, Kelsheim, S. Wolff, J. Laventhal, M. Abrahams; the Misses Goldberg, Lillie Morris, Kornblum.

Miss Nina Paulin, president of the Mispah "Y" has gone East for a three months' visit.

Mrs. Julia M. Ames is having built for her own home a $3000 cottage at No. 1645 West Twenty-first street.

T. Wiesendanger is building two houses, to cost $1700 each, at Nos. 1667 and 1735 Normandie avenue.

SOUTH PASADENA.

John Hill has gone to San Francisco to enlist in the navy, and is now installed on the training ship Alert. Several boys have gone from this community to become United States sailors within the past two years.

Harry Tracy has returned from his sojourn in the mountains of Kern county.

Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neil of Kernville is the guest of Mrs. A. F. Cash for a month.

R. P. Finch has begun the construction of a cottage for his own home on Meridian avenue.

Miss Maud Daggett has gone to Chicago to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Byron Harvey, who has been visiting here for two weeks.

Claude Fishburn has returned from his trip through the Kern county mountains, much improved in health.

H. L. Moody, a former resident of South Pasadena, has been down from Truckee on a visit to old friends.

HIGHLAND PARK.

The new building of the Ransom Home, on East Avenue 57, is now occupied, although it is not quite completed. It is expected that work on the structure will be finished this month. The home has suffered a loss in the death of one of its active supporters and a member of the board of managers, Mrs. S. V. H. Fraser. For six months Mrs. Fraser acted as assistant matron at the home.

E. A. Johnson of the Highland Park fire department will build a cottage on his lot on Marmion Way, near the engine-house.

A. A. Phillips has just completed a handsome six-room cottage at No. 5610 Ash street.

M. R. Shull is building a cottage for his own residence on the east side of Avenue 56, just above Ash street.

EAST LOS ANGELES.

East Side people were gratified last Monday morning to see work begin at the junction of Pasadena avenue and Avenue 20 on the new line of the Los Angeles Railway Company to Garvanzal. Connection with the Pasadena avenue track has been made, so that cars can be sent out along the new line to carry material as the work proceeds. The building of this line and its operation will solve the transfer question for the First Ward residents. It is generally conceded that with the new road in operation, all efforts will cease to secure the granting of transfers from the Pacific Electric Company's cars.

W. F. Baird, proprietor of the Royal grocery, has let the contract for the erection of a $15,000 brick block, on the southwest corner of Downey avenue and Johnson street. The block will have an 80-foot frontage on Downey avenue, and will run back 85 feet on Johnson street. It is to be completed by May 1. Lester Moore is the architect.

Extensive improvements are in progress at the property of the Los Angeles Stoneware Company on Avenue 35. The company now controls almost the whole frontage in that block, and has erected several new buildings. It has ordered eight carloads of machinery from the East, and three new kilns are to be built, making seven in all. Sewer pipe is to be manufactured extensively.

The Standard Building Company, operated by the Newerf Brothers, who have carried on such extensive building operations on the East Side the past year, have now in course of construction a ten-room residence and a six-room cottage at the northwest corner of Avenue 31 and Darwin avenue. They are also building a residence on Darwin avenue just east of Avenue 31. Eben H. Neil, one of the pioneers of the East Side, died at No. 3120 Pasadena avenue, last Wednesday, after a long illness. Mr. Neil came to Los Angeles nineteen years ago, and leaves a wife and two children, C. A. Neil, one of the prominent East Side grocers, and a daughter, Mrs. Gifford, now residing in Maine. The funeral services were held at the residence on Friday afternoon, Rev. J. W. Cline officiating. The interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

A public installation of the officers of Magnolia Encampment, No. 84, I.O.O.F., will take place Wednesday evening. The officers of Eureka Rebekah Lodge, No. 128, will also be installed at this time. The officers of East Side Lodge, No. 335, I.O.O.F., were installed last Tuesday evening by District Deputy Grand Master F. G. Taylor.

A feature in fraternal circles last week was the installation of the officers of East Side Lodge, No. 11, Fraternal Brotherhood, the Grand Commandary officiating. This was followed by an exhibition drill and a supper, and the balance of the evening was spent in dancing.

The Moulton Block at the corner of East Main and Daly streets is completed and is now occupied.

A. Fossberg, whose bakery plant on Pasadena avenue was destroyed by fire last week, will rebuild on a larger scale, and the structure will be of brick.

Guests at the home of Dr. G. S. Allen, No. 2129 Pasadena avenue, are J. A. King, Jr., his younger brother and sister, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Andrews, all from Colorado. They will make their homes in Los Angeles.

W. T. Williams and family have come from Indianapolis, Ind., and have taken the Frank Stoddard place on Pasadena avenue. Mr. Stoddard is now installed in his new home, No. 921 West Fourth street.

The new Graves planing mill, located at the Ganahl lumber yard, was put in operation last week.

Mrs. Eva Dickens is having built for her own home, a $1500 cottage at No. 2402 Manitou avenue.

PICO HEIGHTS.

Pico Heights is enjoying a steady building boom. The near future will see the erection of the new Catholic and Methodist churches and the Odd Fellows' Hall. These will be a great adornment to this section of the city. Real estate is selling at steady prices, most of the sales being made to eastern people for the purpose of building homes.

F. M. Leggett has bought of John T. Moore, through Pico Heights Realty Company, a lot on the south side of Roxbury street, near Jasmine.

Margaret L. Nelson sells to H. F. Becannon, lot 3 of block 26, Electric Railway Association tract, on the west side of Fedora street near Tenth street.

Rev. J. M. Schaefle of the Congregational Church, took for his subject Sunday morning, "The Overshadowing Cloud." In the evening Col. John Sobieski spoke on gospel temperance. The church was crowded.

Miss Matilda Edmunds was married to George Willis at the residence of H. O. Vogel, corner Orange avenue and Bonnie Brae street, by Rev. J. M. Schaefle, last Monday evening. Miss Edmunds is a daughter of Senator Edmunds of Vermont, author of the Edmunds Bill.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a social in the Congregational Church parlors next Friday night. Arthur Goldsmith will sing.

Rev. J. M. Schaefle, who has occupied the Congregational Church pulpit for thirteen years, never having been absent more than two Sundays at a time during that period, has been granted a month's rest by the trustees of the church.

A. F. Colburn of Dewey avenue, fell from a building at Thirtieth and Main streets. He is now in the California Hospital suffering from a dislocated hip.

Lester Robinson has sold to Carl Kromer lot 11 of block 13, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract.

Companion Court, La Gaselle, I.O.F., held its installation of officers last Monday evening. The High Chief Ranger, Board of Deputies was in attendance. After music, speeches and refreshments, the following officers were installed: Court Deputy, Hamit F. Taylor; Past Chief Ranger, Etta Johnston; Chief Ranger, Mary E. Bates; Vice-Chief Ranger, Ethel A. Curtis; Recording Secretary, Unice I. Barr; Financial Secretary, Cora Guthrie; Orator, Pearl A. Stanley.

Ben Wilson sells to P. C. Herbert lot 14 of E. M. Funke subdivision of Withrow tract, west side of New Hampshire street near Pico.

Miss Pearl McDavid of Riverside is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDavid of No. 3040 West Pico street.

Carl Osborn has sold to David Hooker lot 15 and 16 of block 57, Electric Railway Association tract, through the Crescent Realty Company.

Silver Leaf Rebekah Lodge installed the following officers Thursday evening last: Noble Grand, Lily Steadman; Vice-Grand, Lydia White; Recording Secretary, Clara Waugh; Financial Secretary, Sylvia Swan; Treasurer, Olive White; Chaplain, Mary Shropshire; Right Support, Charlotte Haynes; Left Support, Emma Godding; Warden, Nellie Darrow; Conductor, Marietta Davis; M. Guardian, Sylvia Howard.

A cottage is being built for Mrs. Maud C. Show at No. 979 El Molino street.

At No. 1343 Vermont avenue a five-room cottage, to cost $1700, is being built for Dominic Gosponich.

L. E. Powell is erecting $2300 flats at No. 1311 Dewey avenue.

Mrs. M. L. Nelson is having built a $1300 cottage at No. 2713 Roxbury street.

ST. ATHANASIUS' NEW RECTOR.

REV. STEPHEN F. SHERMAN INSTALLED BY CHAPLAIN.

Young Clergyman Comes from New York to Take up Work of a Growing Parish—Preaches First Sermon Here.

Rev. Stephen F. Sherman, the new rector of St. Athanasius Church, located on Custer avenue, was installed in the parish yesterday by the bishop's chaplain, Rev. Henderson Judd. The pretty little church was filled with worshipers, and the rector delivered his

REV. STEPHEN F. SHERMAN, JR.

first sermon here at this service. He spoke from II Corinthians 1:14, his theme being "The Love of Christ Constraineth Us."

With an appropriate address by Rev. Henderson Judd the new rector was installed in his work. For the offertory the choir sang "Holy Offering. Rich and Rare." After the service many of the parishioners met Mr. Sherman in the Guild Hall, adjoining the church. It is planned to give him a public reception within a few days.

St. Athanasius parish has been without a rector since the departure of the Rev. Ransome M. Church for the East several months ago. It is a growing parish with about 150 parishioners, and has felt the need of a settled pastorate.

Mr. Sherman is a young man who has recently come from Rochester, N. Y. He received his early school training in New York city, and then entered the Cornell University, taking the course of letters.

Upon his graduation he entered the General Theological Seminary at New York city, but his health failing he went abroad, and traveled in England and the continent until fully restored, and then resumed his studies at Strassburg, Freiburg and Dresden. Later he returned to the Theological Seminary, where he graduated.

During his residence in New York Mr. Sherman was connected with Grace Church, with Dr. Huntington, and was also one of the lay assistants at St. Bartholomew's parish house with the Rev. Dr. Greer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman will make their home at No. 1127 Colton street.

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A MISSION OF PEACE.

Under the above title the Boston Transcript recently published an editorial commendatory of the mission of Thomas Barclay of London, Eng., to the United States. The object of Mr. Barclay's coming to this country is to promote the adoption of an agreement between the governments of Great Britain and the United States by which all matters of dispute that may arise between the two nations shall be submitted to arbitration. Speaking of the movement, the Boston Transcript well says:

"Almost all great movements start in an academic way. The prophets of progress generally have to labor for a time without honor or a following. But this movement has passed the academic stage not only abroad but here also. The practical men of business have learned that the best foundation for stability and advancement is to be found in pacific international relations, and this proposition appeals strongly to their enlightened selfishness, which is very nearly related to patriotism. It also appeals to national pride. In a matter which so nearly concerns Christian civilization can we afford to long stay behind those countries that have already established or contemplate establishing such relations in Europe? We hope the commercial bodies all over the country will take up this question. It is not one of popular conversion. Public opinion is ripe for it, as has been demonstrated time and again within the last six years, but as a movement such favor on the part of these bodies would give it strength and momentum and be an assurance to that legislative branch of our government upon which the fate of treaties depends, that the dominant wish and sentiment of nearly eighty millions of people on this side the water were behind it.

"The Anglo-American treaty of 1897, which lacked only four votes in the Senate of the two-thirds necessary to its ratification, was stronger even than the Anglo-French treaty. It virtually provided a pacific remedy and remedy of appeal for all causes of controversy. Those who might have balked at some phases of the proposed arrangement at that time cannot urge the same reasons for an obstructive course now. They must invent new ones or forever hold their peace. In recent relations we have practically realized the policy there outlined. All that is necessary is to formulate the line of procedure that we have recognized in our acts, that it may be binding upon both contracting parties for all time. Mr. Barclay maintains that this is a pressing question, and we entirely agree with him. Nothing could be more so. It is not a national or an international, but a world question. We at last boast ourselves a world power, and nothing could do more to justify that boast than the proposed treaty which would make, not alone for the peace of the United States and Great Britain, but for the peace of the world."

Mr. Barclay believes that the most practical way in which to bring this movement to a successful conclusion is for the business men of the country to take hold of it. In an article on the subject, which appeared in the same issue of the Boston Transcript which contained the editorial above quoted from, Mr. Barclay said:

"I hope the business men of the United States will join the business men of the United Kingdom and carry through a treaty between these two countries in the same way as the British and French businessmen did between their two countries. I believe-nay, I know—the Senate of the United States would be only too glad to feel that they had a warrant for giving priority on their already overcrowded business list to take up this subject as an urgent one. It is an urgent one. When two nations seem inclined to put their friendship into the form of a treaty, that is a subject which has priority over every other, because it involves the welfare for years to come of nations, which must pass before communities and individuals.

"Moreover, I believe that such a treaty between Great Britain and the United States would have an effect on the future of mankind which no treaty between any other two civilized powers could ever aspire to produce. Yet the next treaty is likely to be between Great Britain and Italy—in fact, I can say that it is practically settled at this moment. Why should our two go-ahead Anglo-Saxon nations leave it to others to show the way? Why should we not, in one great overwhelming wave of public opinion, bring the matter to a head between these two nations, and with, not 200 or 300 resolutions, but with 2000 or 3000 resolutions show the Senate that they are warranted in dealing with the matter forthwith?

"I am not quite sure that the business men of the United States are conscious of the immense power they can wield in the destinies of the world. They are doing already an immense amount of good work for this country, but I think that if they step into the arena of competition for the consolidation, once and for all, of the peace of the world, they will do the work begun on the other side of the Atlantic with all the magnificent speed and effectiveness with which they do everything they undertake on this side."

On January 13, as the dispatches have noted, a conference was held in the city of Washington for the purpose of forming a basis for an arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain, and also for the extension of the principle and practice of arbitration throughout the world. The conference had the support and assistance of many of the foremost men of the country, and the movement was placed upon a practical basis, which ought to insure action by our government at an early date. The moral effect of a treaty such as is proposed, between the two leading nations of the world, would be incalculable.

OUR DUMB FRIENDS.

If "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn," how much more is this true of man's shocking inhumanity to the dumb animals who minister to his wants and pleasure. It has been said, by some who are extensively acquainted throughout the United States, that in no city of the country can so much inhumanity to horses be witnessed as in Los Angeles. This may be somewhat of an exaggeration, but it is unfortunately true that one can scarcely pass along any of the principal streets without witnessing some act of brutality, or at least of thoughtlessness, that gives pain, not only to the animal, but to a sensitive onlooker. It may be, as The Times has previously suggested, this is largely due to the fact that the Mexicans, who were the original settlers of Los Angeles, are notoriously deficient in tenderness or regard for animals.

Such being the case, this city should prove a good field for the operations of that society with a somewhat unwieldy name, the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, or the "S.P.C.A." for short. The society recently secured permanent headquarters in the Johnson Building, on Broadway. Mrs. Elizabeth M. Millard, the secretary—who volunteers her services free of charge—reports that the closing year has been a successful one, the work having grown to such proportions that fourteen deputies are kept actively engaged. However, under the present administration, the motive of the society has been educational rather than punitive. Following is an extract from the report, giving a statement of work done since May, 1902:

"Complaints 257, cases investigated 354, cases relieved 342, animals killed 134, arrests 34, prosecutions 29. The society has paid out of its treasury about $300 for necessary veterinary services since September 1, 1902.

"Through the efforts of the secretary 'Bands of Mercy' have been introduced into the public schools, being preliminary to humane education, which is now a part of the school curriculum. The society, however, has yet much to accomplish before it fulfils its mission.

"The city's rapid growth brings with it new transgressors in this as in other directions, necessitating a repetition of the work already done and even to a greater extent. This it is evident cannot be otherwise until men learn that possession demands protection and that neglect and abuse are alike criminal.

"This work, authorized and demanded by the public, involves large outlay. An ambulance is an immediate necessity. A home or hospital for sick or maimed animals is greatly needed."

Among other objects aimed at by the society is the education of mothers to a sense of their full responsibility for keeping their children free from the debasing influence of cruelty. It is an undoubted fact that many a man's criminal career is the result of his lack of self-control and the cultivation of cruelty as a child, in the torturing of his household pets. Every child should have the entire control and responsibility for the care of some household pet for the cultivation of those characteristics which later in life develop into the good father and the good citizen.

The society has engaged the services of an attorney to prosecute the managers of the coursing matches. Coursing is certainly a cruel sport, and one that is likely to arouse the baser elements of a man's character.

Among other good things recently accomplished by the society in Los Angeles was the successful prosecution of the scoundrel Loring, who had been repeatedly guilty of gross cruelty in renting out broken down old horses, that could scarcely stand on their legs, some of them in an advanced stage of disease. He was given 3360 or 350 days. The case has been appealed, but the society hopes to win it. Good work has been done by the society in the children's department, homes having been found for 143 children in one year. The society hopes to put an end to the practice of flower selling in saloons after dark by little children of tender age. The sale of liquor and tobacco to minors, and the overworking of children in factories, will also be given attention.

The work of the society is altogether out of proportion to its present income. The policy adopted is a conservative one, and the growth has been slow and sure rather than spasmodic. It is hoped to establish auxiliary societies in the suburban towns. All friends of animals should give much moral and a little financial support to this organization.

The studied attempt, in certain quarters, to force Senator Hanna to the front as a Republican candidate for the Presidency is almost as ridiculous as it would be for the Democrats to try to drag Mr. Cleveland from his retirement. Mr. Hanna isn't a candidate and won't be a candidate. Whatever opposition there is in the Republican party to the President's succeeding himself in 1904 is confined to that minority element which is bound to aggrandize itself if possible, no matter what effect selfishness and lack of patriotism may have upon the destiny of the nation as a whole. But the rank and file of the party is for Roosevelt beyond the veriest shadow of a question and his renomination and election is as nearly assured as it is possible for anything to be in this world. Roosevelt is too valuable a servant of this people to permit his being sidetracked for any other man, no matter what State he hails from, how high his standing, nor how undisputed his capacity. The man for the hour is in the saddle and there he will remain.

Statement is made that but six people out of 32,000,000 traveling in Pullman cars met death by accident in this country during the past three years. Moral: Let the several States of the Union demand that all passenger coaches of every kind and nature be constructed as strongly as are Pullman cars. The lives of those who travel in smokers, day coaches and chair cars are just as precious as are those who ride in Pullmans. Once it has been demonstrated that it is possible to make travel safer by constructing railway passenger cars in such manner that they are not easily reduced to kindling wood in case of accident there ought to be no delay in demanding of the transportation lines that smash-proof coaches must be supplied for all classes of travel. The lives of the people should be safeguarded in railway trains as well as in theaters.

Mr. Bryan appears to be quite as optimistic regarding Democratic success this fall as Col. Hopeful Jones of Arkansaw was in the cheerful days of 1896 and 1900, when he was predicting the election of the Colonel from Nebraska with the rising of every sun, and the going down of the same. Never does the Nebraska statesman lift his eyes to the sky but he sees a rainbow bowing there, and then he proceeds to chase it with the stride of a Jones himself. Cheerfulness and hope are grand attributes, especially when they are about the only things their possessor has in stock.

The Commoner will be published at St. Louis daily during the Democratic National Convention, according to Mr. Bryan. But William will have to inject some yellow into the organ or it will fail to circulate to any great extent. The Democracy has reached a point where it refuses to feed on any sort of journalism excepting the "yaller" kind.

Of course the United States never contemplates rushing into war with Colombia, as Secretary Root has taken some pains to explain. We are a peaceful people with a strong hankering for an isthmian canal. That's about all that appears to be ailing Uncle Sam. As for hunting trouble the allegation is denied and the "allegator" is defied.

One of the needs of the hour in Los Angeles is the removal of the city's water department offices to some point lying outside of Chinatown, and within reasonable walking distance of several car lines traversing the main thoroughfares of this growing metropolis.

Mr. Hanna declares that he considers all the talk about his being a candidate for the Presidency as "a closed incident." And that being about the way the people in this country look at it we might as well pass to the next thing on the order of business.

The University of Missouri is to install a chair of poultry. It is high time if the Missouri hen is acting anything like the brood in California, where there is evidence that the hen family is getting into the race-suicide class.

Considering the fact that no large shipments of mules have been made to the Orient from the United States there is yet hope for a continuance of peace. But when the blast of war blows into our ears look out for a mule movement.

A hen that refuses to lay when eggs are worth forty cents per dozen—or are bringing that price whether they are worth it or not—deserves to be scalded, plucked and jammed into a hot oven without further parley.

The rebellion of the Turkish soldiers, because the Sultan has not paid them their salaries, looks at this distance like nothing but a malicious attempt to blacken the financial reputation of a good man.

As the Czar has boldly announced himself as being for peace, first, last and all the time, isn't it about time for the Mikado to speak up that we may know where he stands on the question?

It is to be hoped that Mr. Bryan won't keep the American people standing on one foot too long waiting to hear what the new idea is that he proposes to spring on us.

A road is being built up Salt River in Arizona and it is hoped to have it completed in time for the Democracy to take a trip over it next fall in the usual manner.

After Germany gets through with the Panama canal question, he ought to be able to handle hot potatoes and other little things like that with no trouble at all.

Poker has taken the place of bridge whist in England, which is but another evidence that the American invasion is still in first-class working order.

War clouds, like everything else, can easily lose their reputation. For instance, a mention of the once potent Balkan war cloud only excites mirth.

Dowie may conclude to solicit a few more shekels while here, just to show Brother Winters what a rank imitation of the genuine article he is.

There appears to be quite a number of powers who are anxious to hold Japan's coat whenever she desires to start anything.

Colombia might employ her spare time to good advantage just now by taking a few lessons on how to call for help.

About the only trouble with civil-service reform is the old failing that humanity doesn't always reform.

It would be a great thing if, in case of heat between nations, it were possible to drop an asbestos curtain.

How are we to know when Colombia really commences to fight us?

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At the Churches Yesterday.

Many New Members.

THERE was a great congregation at the Boyle Heights Presbyterian Church yesterday morning and an exceedingly impressive service throughout. Thirty-three new members were received into the communion of the church, seventeen coming by confession of faith, many of whom were baptized. During the past three months nearly seventy members have been received into this church, and it is rapidly taking a place among the strongest churches in the city.

Dr. Maclaren preached from Luke xxiv, 26: "Ought not Christ to have suffered these things, and to enter into His glory?" The sermon was a vivid representation of the glory that has come to Christ himself and to the world from His triumphant suffering. At the close of the sermon the Lord's Supper was celebrated.

Sodom and Modern Towns.

Robert S. Fisher, preaching in the Central Methodist Episcopal Church last evening, said:

"Sodom was a filthy city even for its own age. The cry of its sin went abroad. The smell of its corruption rose to heaven and we may believe was a stench in the nostrils of angels. It was situated near the Red Sea, and came into prominence in history when destroyed by fire by way of fumigation. Discriminating justice was here at work, not altogether in the sudden holocaust but in the separation of the fit from the unfit.

"Sodom has its modern counterparts. The tendency of the times is from the soil to the city. Great commercial centers are springing into being where there is not room to swing a cane in the bustling throngs. Men in these cities are 'chained before roller desks and bound in swivel chairs,' with little opportunity for thought inspiration or home.

"The great cities of the times are marvels. Paris with her gay abandon, London with her cheerless monotony, these are unique. New York has more Italians than Rome, more Irish than Dublin and more Jews than Jerusalem ever had. The cry of Sodom is in the land. Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Minneapolis, with their gangs, St. Louis with Ed Butler, Chicago with her anarchy, Cincinnati with her George B. Cox, and San Francisco with her industrial bedlam; these are modern reminders of the more ancient Sodom. All of them dispense enough liquor to quench the fires of a literal hell if that were its tendency. Ancient cities were noted for their walls. Enemies were shut out and citizens were shut in for mutual benefit. From these, the modern city may learn in the erection of a moral wall. I am interested to know if our own city is protecting the interests of her citizens in safety and social happiness.

"Safety demands attention to legislation and administration. The former has shown much improvement of late, but for the latter not so much can be said. Recent occurrences have shown the power and unwillingness of executive action.

"For social wellbeing we need home life—fathers who can spare a little time from business, mothers who can neglect the club and children who are not crushed by the 'cram' system of education. We must conquer Sodom or Sodom will conquer us. Let a press consistent in all departments, a church helpful to all classes, and a citizenship awake and active go forth to make the modern city a blessing to mankind."

Real Mistakes of Moses.

Rev. C. C. Willett, preaching the second sermon of a series on "The Real Mistakes of Moses," at the Orchard Avenue Baptist Church yesterday morning, took for his text Exodus iv:24, "And it came to pass, by the way, in the inn, that the Lord met him and sought to kill him." In the course of his sermon he said:

"The first great mistake of Moses was that he was too fast, as we saw last Sunday morning. That was a typical mistake; one we are in danger of falling into. His second great mistake, as we shall see this morning, consisted in his being too slow. That, also, is a typical mistake. Let us discuss it that we may avoid it.

"Moses, with all the greatness and grandeur of his character, was intensely human. He possessed the tendency that sometimes troubles us, of swinging from one extreme to another. We are apt, in the extreme of our stoicism, to 'despise the chastening of the Lord,' or in the extreme of our emotionalism, to 'faint when we are rebuked of Him.'

"One cannot but be struck with the contrast in Moses's conduct between the time when he in his impetuosity slew the Egyptian and hid him in the sand and the time when the call came from the glowing bush in the dry desert region of Horeb. In his own estimation he was not nearly so ready or so well equipped as he felt himself to be forty years before.

"'Come, now,' says God, 'and I will send thee unto Pharaoh.'

"'Who am I,' says Moses,' that I should go to Pharaoh?'

"'Certainly I will be with you,' says God.

"'But, behold, they will not believe me, nor hearken unto my voice,' says Moses.

"'O my Lord, I am not eloquent, but I am slow of speech and of a slow tongue,' says Moses.

"'Who hath made man's mouth,' says the Lord, 'or who maketh the dumb' (listen, you who say God never sends disease or infirmity) 'who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? Have not I, the Lord?'

"Even when he has started to go to Egypt he does not show much haste, for we find him in our text tarrying at the wayside inn. Ah, how easily we find, like Moses, some wayside inn to detain us, when we ought, with willing feet, to be running in the way of God's commandments!

"A practical question for each one is: What is the wayside inn, that hinders me from pursuing my heavenward journey? Perhaps it is the card table, or the ballroom, or the Sunday excursion, or some other practice, that breaks my conscious fellowship with God."

God's Husbandry.

At the First Christian Church yesterday morning the pastor, Rev. A. C. Smither, preached from the Scripture: "Ye are God's husbandry." He said in part:

"The Christian's relation to God is here defined as that of a well-tilled field. It is God's field, too. This is God's world. He has created all things. He has long preserved them. His providence is over all the creatures of his mercy. By creation, redemption and dedication all Christians belong to God and it can truthfully be said of them that they are God's.

"God committed this earth to the race to be subjugated and inhabited by man. His labor is needed to convert it into well-tilled fields. Forests must be cut down, prairies must be broken, swamps must be drained, deserts must be reclaimed, thorns and thistles must be destroyed that this earth may be a fit place for man's dwelling. This is but a parable of the work that must be done for man before he becomes a dwelling place for God, a well-tilled field for divine occupancy. Within his unregenerate nature grow nameless forests, boundless prairies, miasmatic swamps, unexplorable deserts, noxious weeds, numerous thorns. These must be cleared away. When thus regenerated the human soul is planted with the divine seed, the divine word, which is adapted to the need and nature of man.

"The Christian heart like the field needs constant cultivation. The more valuable the soil the rankier the weeds growing therein. The more valuable the soul the stronger must be its powers for good and the more intense the effort of the arch enemy of human good for its overthrow. All the processes of God are set in motion for the development of the spiritual nature of men. For this purpose the church, with all its agencies and instrumentalities, is appointed. As the sculptor from the unfeeling marble makes a thing of beauty, so the church of Christ contributes to the spiritual likeness of man to Christ.

"There must be growth. The seed is of no value till it has germinated and produced the plant and the plant finds its proper place in its fruitage. God has ordained the spiritual forces of Christianity that they may aid in the growth and development of man into the image of God. A Christian must grow in faith, knowledge, service, sacrifice, devotion to God and man. Unless there be such growth, spiritual death must ensue.

"A field has value only in its products. Fruitage is the ultimate test of value, the final proof of worth. The first and most important fruit of Christian life must be in character, a fashioning of man in the likeness of Christ. This will result in service for God and fellow man. Such a man will add in the spiritual development of the race and turning earth's barren spots into oases of value and beauty."

WEST-FRAZIER NUPTIALS.

Two Santa Ana Young People United in Marriage in This City Yesterday.

A pretty wedding occurred yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry West, No. 1130 Maple avenue, when Fred William West of Santa Ana and Miss Edith Alberta Frazier of Los Angeles were united in marriage by Rev. Edwin S. Frets of Haven Methodist Episcopal Church.

The ceremony was attended only by relatives and a few intimate friends of the contracting parties. The bride, attired in a dress of cream wool en traine with a black picture hat, entered on the arm of her brother-in-law and was unattended save by little Miss Gladys Dripps, the ring-bearer. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Witsel played the "Wedding March," and during the ceremony rendered a soft aria.

The decoration scheme was in green and white. Many gorgeous poinsettias were banked in the reception and dining-rooms and large quantities of smilax trailed throughout the house. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served.

Mr. West is manager of the Sunset Telephone Exchange in Santa Ana. Miss Frazier formerly lived in Santa Ana, is a graduate of the high School, a beautiful young woman with a large circle of friends, in both Los Angeles and Santa Ana. Mr. and Mrs. West will remain at the Westminster Hotel several days and will then make their home in Santa Ana.

RARE BOOKS FOR STANFORD.

University Receives Set of Kingsborough's Mexican Antiquities, Containing Valuable Information.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 18.—The university has received a set of Kingsborough's Mexican antiquities, the gift of Mrs. Stanford. Only one edition of these books was published. This edition appeared in London in 1830 when copies were sold for £175. Since that time the books have increased enormously in value, owing to the small number of copies that can be found. The set comprises nine large volumes, containing fac-similies of ancient Mexican paintings, hieroglyphics, and other records, as well as interpretations translated from Spanish, French and Italian investigators.

Direct interpretations of Mexican codices are given, containing full accounts of the courses of the conquest of Mexico and of the social, religious and political status of the people before and after the fall of the Aztecs. There are given fac-similies and translations of the three principal manuscripts, which were saved from the great mass destroyed by the Spanish conquerors, namely, the Mendoza Code, the Fejeriano-Remensis, and the Vatican manuscript, No. 3738.

THE TIMES' MEXICAN ...

The Los Angeles (Cal.) ... just published a large ... special number devoted to ... issue is exceedingly ... only to those dwelling in ... west, but to all who are ... ly informed as to the ... sources and development of ... greatest American republic ... a country of almost ... bilities, and under the ... tion of its patriotic and ... dent, Porfirio Diaz, it has ... mous strides forward. The ... geles Times' special edition ... lation concerning the ... amply illustrated to ... and gives vivid pen ... country, its industries and ... its historic capital, its ... ture and rich mines, its ... grazing plains, its railroad ... graph lines, its harbors and ... drainage system of the Valley ... ico—all these as told in ... the Times will well repay ... ing. The number consists of ... and may be obtained on ... the Los Angeles Times for ...

Probably no other ... today claiming so ... from migratory Americans ... For health, travel, ... nes it offers an abundance ... tions which cannot be in any ... described within the limits ... article.—[Pawtucket, (R. I.)

OLIPHANT BREAKER ...

SCRANTON (Pa.) Jan. ... phant breaker and ... Delaware and Hudson ... Oliphant was destroyed by ... loss $110,000.

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Invite you to call and ... the new shipments of ...

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We speak today ... of our line of French ... and patent leather... ton. High cut, $3.50 ... low cut, $3.50 to $5.00.

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A set of six, of the ... missions of California, ... $5; single plates $1. ... The Genuine Wedgwood ... plates are to be had only at ... our store.

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TALMAGE IS MADE PASTOR.

Installation Ceremonies at First Church.

Leading Local Divines Take Part in Exercises.

Initial Sermon Preached by Official Head of Flock.

The Rev. Frank Dewitt Talmage was installed yesterday as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles.

The services took place in the church building at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the house being full on the lower floor, with a sprinkling in the gallery. The majority of the audience was present through curiosity, as was evidenced while the presiding minister was requesting the legitimate congregation to hold up their right hands in answer to the constitutional questions preceding upon the final seating of the pastor, such hands as were upraised being almost lost in the unparticipating crowd in the main auditorium.

Rev. Joseph R. Compton presided. The invocation was offered by Rev. Joseph B. Chapman, D.D. The reading of the scriptures was conducted by Rev. Malcolm J. McLeod, D.D., and the long prayer was offered by Rev. Robert F. MacLaren, D.D., followed by a sermon, delivered by Rev. Hugh Walker, D.D.

Dr. Walker took his text from Paul's epistle to the Romans, III 14: "But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ."

"In the Greek," said Dr. Walker, "this passage means literally to imbibe the spirit of another; to become the reproduction of another's personality; in this connection, to reproduce the personality of Jesus Christ. There are men who have attained this, Christ-men. This is an ideal worth striving for, however lofty it may seem. Our personality must be lost into His. I do not speak here in the name of Christ because He is present. I speak out in this way, in the name of God, will your pastor speak to you."

Prayers ade, by Charles A. Bowes, followed by the constitutional ... of the pastor, propounded by Rev. J. Compton.

... to the pastor was given ... Augustus B. Prichard, D.D., ... to the people by Rev. ... Young, D.D. The benedic... pronounced by the newly-in... pastor of the flock.

Dr. Dewitt Talmage said, in ... first sermon as pastor ... Presbyterian Church:

"Your occupations often imply ... elements. All varieties of ... thrive equally well un... stained colored glass. The ... which would be exhilara... restful relaxation for the ... may be drudgery and irri... the merchant. The owls and ... turn their days into nights, ... nights into day. The eagles ... hawks do not circle about in ... unless they can heat their ... by the flaming fires of the ... The inhabitant of one home may ... and blind to the pleasures sur... another fireside.

"In the backwoods I best learned this ... lesson. With my family I ... a summer vacation in ... In a row-boat, far from ... station, I was tracing the ... windings of a little river. ... at a turn of the stream, we ... a small house nestling under ... branches of the tall ... I found there a woman living ... alone. She had no children. ... her husband was off to ... I said to her, 'This is an awful ... You must be lonely and ... with no companionship.' ... she answered, 'I am never ... I have hundreds of friends who ... talk to me every day. De... that little nest just at the end ... creek? Well, last spring the ... came here as a bride, and ... if she could build her home ... I said yes. Then she talked ... on all the time she was ... She brought home her ... and introduced me to him. ... when the eggs were laid, ... eggs were hatched. She ... my friends.' Then, just over ... that bank, a muskrat has ... and is raising his family. He ... very little while and blinks ... at me in the sign language. ... are my friends the wild... and my friends the chickens, ... the fish which I feed ... Then the river itself is a ... friend. It has a language of ... and gurgles to which I listen, ... get tired and weary I am ... of its sympathy. Oh no, do ... for being alone. My en... perhaps not your enjoy... but they are many. I ... would not exchange my life ... any one I know.' Happy ... Happy, because she was ... where she could use the ... which God had endowed ... because, like a bee, she ... and every flower filled ... her lips. Happy, be... her branch was to her ... such a master soloist was ... sweetest song in all his ...

"My friends, as I needlessly ... your woman in the back... are hundreds and thous... commiserating the sup... lot of a gospel minis... sympathetic hundreds, aye ... of young men, who might ... have volunteered for service ... pulpits, have been de... account of them, from conse... motives to the gospel minis... a direct appeal to the ... to enter the gospel pulpit. ... offers the happiest, the most ... the most exhilarating life ...

"The objection generally made ... question of a minister, is ... not a money-making pro... That is true; but it does offer ... better in the joy of no... We have all at some ... the truth of Christ's ... that it is better to give than to ... When the bower-bird of love ... her home for the first time in ... we immediately tried to ... that love in many different ... We laid at the feet of our lady-... gifts, as the wise men from ... came to the manger with their ... of gold and frankincense and ... We manifested our love in the ... pictures we daily bestowed. ... we would write. As ... we again manifested ... engagement ring which ... placed upon the finger ... bride. Has any money ... we have since earned ever given us such joy as that which came to us in the happiness of her smile, in the welcome of her voice, and in the knowledge that we were winning her affections in return for our affections. My young friend, did you ever stop to consider that the Christian minister has such joys as these, which make the acquisition of fortune appear in comparison low and sordid?

"The gospel ministry affords more opportunities for usefulness than any other profession. Every true man wants to make the most of his earthly life. If he has ten talents, he wants to use them where they will be most effective; if he has only one talent he wants to make that one talent useful. Like a capitalist, he wants to invest his mental and spiritual talents where the investment is sure, and where he can get the most returns for the principal invested. Where can a consecrated, educated young man have more influence for good than in the Christian ministry?

"The gospel minister has the same temptations as other men! Why, that is absurd. I do not believe I am what I am because I am stronger than other men. I believe I am what I am because God has surrounded me by praying men and women and hemmed me in with noble influences, and bound me hand and foot with the golden manacles of their petitions. If these holy associates should be taken away from my life, I would tremble for what the results might be.

"I have preached this sermon, showing the joys, the spiritual safeguards, and the infinite usefulness of the gospel ministry for two distinct reasons: The first, there never was a greater need than at the present time for young men to enter the gospel pulpit. A few years ago, the capitalist, the statesman, the merchant prince, and leading lawyers considered it an honor to sit in the aldermanic chairs of our great cities. Now, for the most part, these positions are despised by the intelectual and financial leaders, and are filled with professional politicians and men who are weaklings and often dishonest. Once there was a time when the greatest honor that could come to a family was the honor of a son dedicating his life to the gospel ministry. Now, the current of popular opinion is running counter to this line of noble service.

"The second reason for preaching this sermon is that I would appeal to those young men to enter the gospel ministry who, many years ago, heard the call and who have stifled it by an indifferent wayward life. When my uncle, the devoted missionary, Rev. John Talmage of Amoy, China, was a boy of 12, he read the life of David Brainerd. After closing the book, he went to my grandmother and said: 'Mother, I am going to be a missionary.' Time passed on, and he entered college. He lost his high ideal and led an indifferent life. He never mentioned the word minister from that day, until toward the end of his college career. Then the old pledge came back. Then and there, on the night before his graduation from Rutger's College, he gave himself up anew to his glorious life-promise. Young men, you who have heard this call to the Christian ministry years ago, will you not hear the call now? Will you not be brave enough, noble enough, Christian enough to do what Christ bids you do? The church needs you. Christ calls you. Come, offer your life, and consecrate it at the altar of Christian ministry."

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Big Midwinter Blanket Sale Begins Tuesday; watch for newspaper announcement.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

Tuesday's Midwinter Blanket Sale will offer by far the best values of the season.

Clean-up Sale of something like seventy-five handsome Robe Patterns—select weaves and choice colorings; $20.00, $25.00, $30.00 and $35.00 values.

Assortment Includes
Beautiful Green Velour Brocades
Satin Stripe Fancy Zibelines
Fancy Silk Tufted Eolliennes
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Magnificent Patterns
Fancy Silk Tufted Mattalasse
Silk Stripe Wool Crepes
Handsome Turkish Mattalasse
Camelshair Stripe Serge
Silk and Wool Broches

Sale Starts at Store-Opening Time This Morning

Women's Eiderdown Sacques

We're letting go a large number of Eiderdown Sacques and Kimonas—this season's choicest styles—in order to make room for in-coming Spring stocks. Eiderdown Sacques, as you know, are seasonable in this climate the year 'round.

$1.00 Eiderdown Sacques cut to 75c
$1.25 Eiderdown Sacques cut to $1.00
$1.75 Eiderdown Sacques cut to $1.50
$2.25 Eiderdown Sacques cut to $1.75
$3.50 Eiderdown Sacques cut to $2.75

Colors are red, blue or gray—prettily finished with satin bands or embroidered edges; frog fastenings or silk ribbon ties; ready at store-opening time this morning.

At $4.00

$5.50 Eiderdown Robes

Very handsome Angora Eiderdown Robes, full length—reaching nearly the floor—reds, grays, blues and pinks; beautifully trimmed with Satin bands, silk frogs, cords and tassels; $5.50 regularly—at $4.00 today.

Gowns At Sharp Reductions

Same old story—but always true, if it appears in a Coulter ad—we've too many Outing Flannel Gowns; new Spring goods demand the space they at present occupy—hence the following reductions:

$1.25 Outing Gowns reduced to $1.00
$1.50 Outing Gowns reduced to $1.25
$1.75 Outing Gowns reduced to $1.50

These come in plain colors or fancy stripes; choice designs and colorings—made equal to home sewing, and worth every cent of regular prices.

Midwinter Blanket Sale begins Tuesday morning; see tomorrow's advertisement.

Suits at $16.50

Regular $22.50 to $32.50 Values

You can readily see the saving—from $6.00 to $16.00 on a single purchase! The sale price—$16.50, gives you absolute sway of any suit in the lot, of fancy mixed cloths and plain black cheviot—Eton and plainly tailored coat effects.

One style is a black Eton coat suit, satin lined, trimmed with white broadcloth and fancy braid; walking skirt; a $25.00 suit for $16.50.

Another is of gray mixed homespun, satin lined coat, velvet collar, regulation walking skirt; a suit well worth $32.50, on sale today for $16.50.

Suits at $35.00

Actually worth $42.50 to $60.00

Suits right for now—and for two months to come—good 'till Easter, say. From your standpoint, the standpoint of style and service, there's no reason why they should be reduced—but from ours; we've got to plan ahead, to make way for new things to come later.

Here's a fancy blue mixed (white flecked) Zibeline suit; blouse jacket, trimmed with blue broadcloth and fancy braid; value $52.50, for $35.00.

This one is of fancy dark green mixed rough cloth, trimmed with dark green velvet and silk braid; walking skirt; a $57.50 suit, sale price $35.00.

Special "Monday Sale" of Mercerized Sateens

In order to start Spring Wash Goods selling with a flurry, we've cut the price on two special lines of beautiful new sateens; goods right for now and later on in the season.

50c Values at 35c
Fully 36 inches wide—
Blue or Black grounds—
Pretty Foulard Patterns—
White dots and figures—
Effective scroll designs.

25 Cents and 35 Cents a Yard

But Don't Expect These Prices After Today

35c Sorts at 25c
Fully 32 inches wide—
Pretty Foulard Patterns—
White dots and figures—
Effective scroll designs—
Blue or Black grounds.

COULTER DRY GOODS COMPANY

317-319-321-323-325 South Broadway

See ad. in tomorrow morning's papers about the big Midwinter Blanket Sale.

Notions

At "Next-to-Nothing" Prices

This is going to be a week of "Small wares at Little prices"—a week of money-saving for those of our patrons who are in need of Notions.

10c and 15c Cube Pins at 5 cents
10c and 15c Hat Pins at 5 cents
5c and 10c Toilet Pins, 2 doz. for 5c
10c and 15c Wire Hair Pins, 5c a box
10c Safety Pins at 5c a dozen

Safety Pins in this sale include "Cap-sheaf," "Household" and "Safety-lock"—japanned or nickel finish—assorted sizes, the sort sold every day in the year at 10c.

At 5 Cents

Regular 10c and 15c Pins

We want to emphasize this pin sale—because such values are unusual. Besides the ones referred to above, you can buy Book Pins in assorted sizes—black and white—regular 10c value, at 5c; it's an exceptional opportunity.

At 5 Cents

Two Papers—800 Pins

This is, perhaps, the best of all the Notion Bargains told of today; the celebrated "Sampson" English Pins—full count—400 pins to the paper, in the sale, 2 papers for 5c while they last.

Special showing of Hose Supporters
Special showing Finishing Braids
Special showing Dress Bindings

In addition to the Notions at cut prices, we offer handsome shell Back and Tuck Combs, with silver and gilt trimmings—and jewel settings—$1.00 to $2.50 values, at 50c.

Jardinieres and Pedestals . . .

If there is anything lacking in the furnishings of your home perhaps a handsome jardiniere and pedestal would add greatly to the decorative effect. For today and tomorrow we offer a large assortment of very rich ones at prices just about half what they would sell for regularly. Take a glance at our special window, then come in and look at them. You will be agreeably surprised at the prices.

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Wash Day Necessities.

There are so many things the average family needs on Monday. Things for the laundry, things for house cleaning, things for quick lunch.

Our store offers a full range of selection in everything that a good grocery store should keep. And remember that "you're safe at Jevne's."

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Gustav E. Stiskley Old Mission Pieces

The famous craftsman, Gustav E. Stiskley, is the originator of the modern Mission styles and manufactures the finest line of Mission Furniture on the market today. Every piece from his shop is made entirely by hand, even to the very smallest parts. Every joint is made to fit perfectly and is mortised and pinned in such a way that it is impossible for it to loosen. We have the only stock of this superior furniture in this territory. This showing is in the popular

WEATHERED OAK

finish and includes Chairs, Tables, Sideboards, China Closets, Davenports, etc.

We have a display of this furniture now in our show windows.

"All Goods Marked in Plain Figures"

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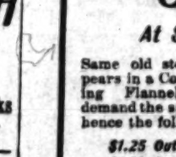
439-441-443 S. Spring St., Los Angeles, Cal.



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On Wednesday January 20th.....

Occurs the formal opening of our new store at 452 So. Broadway; the largest and finest fruit store in the United States. Special display of California fruit for the occasion.

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111 W. Second St. 526 S. Spring St. 434 S. Los Angeles St.

Telephone Main 307 and our collector will call.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 17.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 29.98. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 57 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 87 per cent.; 5 p.m., 77 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., south, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 49 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season in last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last 24 hrs.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	1.52	21.62	23.15
Red Bluff	.24	12.25	19.51
Sacramento	.22	5.10	6.71
San Francisco	.50	6.90	6.35
Fresno	.30	1.20	3.31
Independence	....	.42	.33
San Luis Obispo	.70	1.53	5.00
Los Angeles	....	.41	4.97
San Diego	....	.40	4.09

The storm is central over Western Montana, with a trough extending southward to Arizona and Southern California. Cloudy weather prevails over the Pacific Slope, and rain has fallen from the Tehachapi and Point Conception northward, with snow in the Sierras. The conditions are favorable for the rain extending into Southern California on Monday. The pressure has risen over Western Washington and Oregon and Northwestern California, and fallen east of the Sierra and in Southern California. The temperature has fallen from 4 to 12 deg. in California. Forecast:

Northern California: Cloudy Monday, with rain; light southwest wind.

Southern California: Cloudy, with rain Monday; light southerly wind.

Nevada: Rain or snow Monday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, with rain Monday; light southwest wind.

Sacramento: Rain Monday; light southerly wind.

Fresno: Rain Monday; light southerly wind.

Arizona: Rain Monday; clearing and colder.

Liners.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC. THE PUBLIC and all banks and bankers are hereby notified that certain certificates of deposits issued by the Bank of Santa Monica to John Lowe and Mrs. J. B. Millure, as subscribed below, were stolen or destroyed by robbers who burglarized the safe in the branch of the Bank of Santa Monica at Sawtelle on Jan. 12, 1904, and also thereby further notified that payments of these certificates have been stopped. The certificates are more particularly described as follows: Certificate No. 1026 issued to John Lowe for $160, dated Dec. 17, 1903; certificate No. 1044, issued to Mrs. J. B. Millure for $300, dated Jan. 12, 1904.
BANK OF SANTA MONICA.
By Robert F. Jones, President, Santa Monica, Jan. 16, 1904. 20

REAL ESTATE ADVERTISERS AND OTHERS: Hereafter all real estate and other classified "Want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday nights in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

THE LOS ANGELES PRIVATE DETECTIVE Association has been established at rooms 322 and 323 Bryson Bldg. We take care of all classes of work, criminal or civil, and collecting of evidence, and prepare to furnish the best of reference and guarantee all business entrusted with us will be strictly confidential, if we take the case or not. By the Presd. and Mangr., J. L. REYNOLDS. Home phone 5041.

THE IMPROVED COMMON-SENSE FILTER is just what you need on your faucet; it gives pure water for all household purposes; price 50c and 75c; order one by sending postal card to WM. AKIN. 1021 Wall st. 18

BOOKS, BOOKS—OXFORD BIBLES, 90c up; 1000 late $1.50 novels 10c to read; "Ramona," 10c to read; paper novels, 1c to read; about 50,000 books to choose from. HENRY WARD, 450 S. Broadway.

HAVE YOU BUSINESS IN THE EAST needing attention? Competent business man and lawyer about to visit eastern cities starts 20th. Address J, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 19

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets cleaned and relaid same day if desired. We buy and sell carpets. 637 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217, Home 217.

FOR SLE—BY Y. M. COMPANY, 153 W. FIFTH ST. Bamboo goods, wholesale and retail. TEL. RED 2881.

CHICAGO WALL PAPER CO.—SELLING entire line of '04 papers at 5c; all late papers, 10c. 341 BROADWAY, both phones.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets; upholstering and repairing. 329 E. 6th. Tel. Main 715, Home 715.

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LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 3041; James 6371. MRS. HEATH.

SIEBLES MAKES THE BEST WINDOW shades. Fact. 328 W. 6TH. Home 'phone 2798.

RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING, 10c per line; minimum charge, 30c.

CHURCH NOTICES—

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Los Angeles. Services in the church edifice, 17th st., near Figueroa, Sunday, 10:45 a.m.; sermon, from the Christian Science Quarterly, subject, "Sacrament." Solo by Miss Simmons. Sabbath school at 10:45 a.m.; testimonial meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; reading-room in the church parlor, open daily from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Take Washington st. car to Figueroa and 17th; Traction to 16th and Georgia.

ST. ATHANASIUS. THE NEW VICAR, Rev. Stephen F. Sherman will take charge today and officiate at all services. 17

CHURCH OF THE UNITY—UNITARIAN—125 S. Flower st., Rev. C. J. K. Jones, minister. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m., service 11 a.m.; subject, "The Opportunity of the Liberal Church." Rev. Enoch Powell Ord, Nebraska. The Unity Club will meet on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock under the direction of the science section.

PERSONAL—

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PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business; lawsuits; mineral locations described; speculations; property, love affairs. 415½ S. SPRING ST., room 2. 50c to $1.

PERSONAL — MRS. J. J. WHITNEY, BUSINESS psychic, life reader, 123 E. FOURTH, Hotel Johnson.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, SKILLFUL scientific palmist; reliable; accurate. 341½ S. SPRING.

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PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 321½ S. SPRING, Palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

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WANTED—JAPANESE INFORMATION BUREAU, 124 N. MAIN. John 1100—Home 7480.
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CONTRACT. Ranch hands of all kinds, railroading, gardening, etc.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 'Phones Main 1400, Home 1043. 340 E. First st. We furnish all kinds of reliable help on short notice, by day, hour or contract.

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WANTED—HERE IS THE BEST OF ALL. TETSU OYAMA'S JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE AND LABOR BUREAU, Room 124½ N. Spring st. 'Phones Main 3071. Home 976. 19

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WANTED—A-1 ADVERTISING SOLICITOR, none need apply who are not familiar with advertising matter. Bring references. Apply 619 LAUGHLIN BLDG., between 4 and 5 today. 18

WANTED — STEWARD, FLOORWALKER, finisher, mechanic, grocer, labelers, stockkeeper, man, wife, factory, assorted situations. EDWARD NITTINGER, 233½ S. Main. 20

WANTED—SHIPPING CLERK; MUST BE familiar with stock and detail mouldings and tally lumber. UNIVERSITY PLANING MILL, apply 656 W. 39th st. near Figueroa. 19

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only 8 weeks required; our method saves 2 years' apprenticeship; catalogue free. MOLAR SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F., Cal.

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WANTED — LODGE ORGANIZERS FOR principal cities; $100 to $300 monthly. WALTER A. RICE, Secretary, 644 Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N. Y. 21

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WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF planing mill, make estimates and oversee mill. Apply to UNION MILL CO., Santa Barbara. 22

WANTED — A BRIGHT BOY ABOUT 15 for permanent position in first-class store; references. Address E, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 18

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WANTED—COPPERSMITH, ONE WHO can solder fine copper work and do hammering. MINNICH ART CO., 418 S. Olive st.

WANTED—ANY PERSON TO DISTRIBUTE our samples; $2.50 daily, steady. Mgr. "EMPIRE," 3023 Grand Boul., Chicago, Ill. 25

WANTED—MAN TO CARE FOR HORSE mornings only; must have had plenty of experience. 417 S. HILL ST. 18

WANTED—YOUNG GENTLEMAN WITH $50 to prepare as magician. Address H, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—COAT MAKER; ONE WHO CAN make pants and vests. C. H. BRANDON, Pomona, Cal. 19

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BODY BUILDER. PARROT CARRIAGE MFG. CO., Tenth and Main sts.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN DISHWASHER, camp mining company, $25 found. 111½ E. SECOND ST. 18

WANTED—A PANTS PRESSER AT ONCE; steady work. BIG 4 PANTS CO., 415 S. Spring st. 18

WANTED—100 TO 200 CORDS EUCALYPtus wood cut. P. F. WISE, Pico st., west of city. 18

WANTED—THREE BOYS TO LEARN GOOD trades. Apply this morning 110 N. BROADWAY 18

WANTED— Help, Male.

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE; half price. 132 E. SECOND, Barber College. 20

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WANTED—PRESS FEEDER. WANNOP & FORBUSH, Printers, 219 New High st. 18

WANTED—A WATCHMAKER AND JEWeler. Room 316 STOWELL BLOCK. 18

WANTED—STICKER HAND AT PASADENA MANUFACTURING CO., Pasadena. 18

WANTED—A BOY TO WORK IN PLANING mill. 1316 MYRTLE AVE. 18

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS. Female Dept. Ramona Block. Corner Third and Spring. Rooms 22-23. Phones Main 2306. Home 1.

Book-keeper, $60 and fd.; envelope addresser, experienced card indexer, 2 cooks, pastry and gen., $50 each; 2 cooks, family of 4, $35 and $30; girl, asst. housework, Pasadena, $15; women, general housework, city; Ocean Park, Santa Monica, $25, $30; waitress, city; beaches, Pomona and Redlands, $25 and fd.; waitresses, restaurants, $7, $8 and $9; laundress, hotel, $30 and fd.; shirt finishers, starch ironer, body ironer, shakers, starchers and mangle girls, $7, $8, $9, $10; powermachine operators, $7, $8, $9, $10; seamstresses, $1.25 and $1.50; tailoress, $8, $10; chambermaids, $20, $25; 4 janitresses, $25 etc.; women, day work. 18

WNTED— THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 405 S. BROADWAY.

Phones— Home 8425. Sunset M. 1890.

Cook and downstairs work, city, $30.
One general housework, small family, city, $30.
Girl to help in small boarding-house, $25.
Another, Covina, $25.
Girl for general housework, two in family, $25.
Another, 2 in family, $25.
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Many other good places, $25 and $30.
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WANTED — SALESLADIES, OFFICE, ENvelope addressers, correspondent, forelady, attendant, waitress, chambermaid, housework, janitors, housekeeper, many others. EDWARD NITTINGER, 233½ S. Main. 20

WANTED—YOUNG LADY CASHIER AND book-keeper; must be thoroughly competent; good salary and permanent position to right party. Address J, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 18

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WANTED—GOOD LADY STENOGRAPHER and office assistant; wholesale house; steady employment. Address D, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED — COMPETENT NURSE FOR child; references required. Call Sunday and Monday morning at 816 ALVARADO ST. 18

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125½ E. Fourth st., for women only. Phone James 5421.

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS STARCH IRONer. MODEL HAND LAUNDRY, 809 Ceres ave. 18

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WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR NURSE. Apply to 946 N. MAIN. 19

WANTED—WAITRESS, FREMONT HOTEL, Fourth and Grand. 18

WANTED—WAITRESSES. INQUIRE D. H. HART, Natick. 19

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WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMEN, GUARantee salary, $50 to $75, and expenses, per month. MRS. S. R. MOTT, Manager, 330½ S. Spring st. Apply immediately. 20

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WANTED—JAPANESE RELIABLE GOOD cook who has experience for many years wants position in small private family; works clean and patiently; city or country; wages $7 up per week. N. S., 647 S. Spring. Phone Main 3042. 21

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WANTED—REAL ESTATE MAN, 34, WANTS work. Twelve years Philadelphia. General experience, both office and outside. Good conveyancer and salesman. H. W. REYNOLDS, Lamanda Park. 20

WANTED — SITUATION AS GROCERY clerk, 3 years' experience; can give good references; unmarried. Apply HENRY C. MULHOLLAND, 516 Towne ave., Los Angeles. 20

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WANTS POsition to take three hours or half-day work at any store in the city. Address H. K., 726 S. VARENCIA ST., Los Angeles. 18

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WANTED—CAPABLE MAN WISHES EMployment evenings from 7 to 12. Address C., 150 SAN JULIAN ST. 18

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WANTED— Situations, Female.

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TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED, large sunny front parlor rooms, with piano, modern conveniences. 217 S. GRAND. 22

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, COSY, FURnished rooms, fine lawns and palm trees; residence of trained nurse. 1217 W. 22D ST. 18

TO LET—AT THE "RICHELIEU," 1012 Temple, housekeeping suits; also single rooms from $5 month; cheapest in city. 18

TO LET — UNFURNISHED ROOMS; TWO large and elegant rooms, unfurnished, in private residence, 1217 W. 22D ST. 18

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS, CENTER of city; $1.50 per week and up; 25c and 50c per night. 311 W. THIRD ST. 22

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED FRONT room, new, modern conveniences; $12 per month. 1130½ S. GRAND AVE. 19

TO LET—SUNNY FRONT ROOM WITH kitchen, complete for light housekeeping, first floor, 1321 S. GRAND AVE. 18

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, TWO ROOMS, suitable for housekeeping, bath; no children. 738½ CROCKER ST. 18

TO LET—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, WITH bath, separate entrance, good car service. 1163 W. 24TH ST. 18

TO LET— 3 OR 4 FURNISHED ROOMS (piano;) housekeeping; all modern conveniences. 1106 S. OLIVE ST. 18

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TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM, suitable for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 'Phone and bath. 633½ S. FLOWER. 18

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, reasonable to permanent person. 1301½ W. 14TH ST. 18

TO LET—A NICELY FURNISHED FRONT suite, HOTEL ALEXANDER, 218 N. Main st. Phone Home 1458. 20

TO LET—BACK PARLOR WITH USE OF kitchen to parties who wish home comforts. 1953 LOVELACE AVE. 18

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TO LET — FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS, private residence, $1.50 and $2 weekly; gentlemen. 1519 S. HILL. 21

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, sunny, absolute cleanliness. 602½ SOUTH FIGUEROA. 21

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TO LET—FURNISHED, TWO OR THREE rooms in new cottage, for housekeeping. 1947 S. OLIVE ST. 18

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, reasonable prices, Colorado Hotel, 621½ S. BROADWAY. 18

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TO LET—LARGE FRONT, BAY WINDOW room, nicely furnished. All day Sunday. 347 S. HILL ST. 18

TO LET—ONE LARGE FURNISHED FRONT room, suitable for two, cheap. 514 CALIFORNIA ST. 18

TO LET — TWO CONNECTING UNFURnished front rooms. 218 N. MAIN ST. Phone Home 1458. 20

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room in private family, reasonable. 1104 S. OLIVE. 18

TO LET—TWO BEAUTIFUL FURNISHED sunny rooms, furnace heat, 'phone. 947 S. FLOWER. 18

TO LET—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS; 2 furnished housekeeping rooms, bath; 529 S. FLOWER. 18

TO LET—NICE SINGLE ROOMS, WALKing distance. 804½ W. THIRD ST., corner Flower. 19

TO LET—VERY LARGE SUNNY ROOMS IN nice location for housekeeping. 1213 SOUTH OLIVE. 18

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY rooms, housekeeping if desired. 428 W. NINTH. 18

TO LET — NEW SUNNY FURNISHED front housekeeping suite, bath. 771 W. 16TH. 22

TO LET—2 LARGE FURNISHED ROOMS, reasonable. Apply 933 MAIN. Tel. Hope 4441. 18

TO LET—3 LARGE SUNNY UNFURNISHed rooms, no children. 917 S. LOS ANGELES. 18

TO LET—2 NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY rooms at 123 S. OLIVE ST., price reasonable. 17

TO LET—$16; TWO SUNNY, FURNISHED housekeeping rooms and bath. 130 CARR ST. 21

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS FOR light housekeeping. 1302 GIRARD ST. 18

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TO LET—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS IN new house. 765 SAN JULIAN ST. 18

TO LET—ONE FURNISHED ROOM, GENtleman preferred. 907 W. 2ND ST. 18

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, IN PRIVATE family. $4. 1434 W. 12TH ST. 18

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$—3 rooms, 1111½ E. Seventh.
$—5 rooms, 1112 W. First.
$—Store, 1116 E. Seventh.
21 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

TO LET—FLATS—
$20—3 rooms, 1166 Diamond st.
$10—3 rooms, 304 N. Fremont.
$10—3 rooms, 534 S. Figueroa.
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TO LET—NEAR WESTLAKE PARK, SUNny room, excellent table board. The Bonnie Brae, 717 S. ALVARADO. Miss Abell, mgr. 18

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY front room with board; private family; reasonable. 1034 W. 24TH ST. 18

TO LET—TO 4 BOARDERS, ROOM AND board, $5 per week, 3 meals. 839½ S. FLOWER ST. 18

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TO LET—WITH BOARD IF DESIRED, sunny, front room. 735 S. FIGUEROA. 18

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TO LET—MODERN [illegible] $25 per month to [illegible] J. MONROE, 202 W. [illegible]

TO LET—A FIVE-ROOM [illegible] and modern, southeast [illegible] sts. PHONE BLUE [illegible]

TO LET—NEW, MODERN [illegible] the Westlake district [illegible] BROTHERTON, [illegible]

TO LET — NEW [illegible] side Hope st. [illegible] PERSON.

TO LET — 7 ROOMS [illegible] Jackson. Owner, [illegible] free.

TO LET—NEW 6-ROOM [illegible] modern improvements [illegible]

TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE [illegible] Inquire DONATO BROS. [illegible]

TO LET—5 ROOM HOUSE [illegible] $20 per month. Inquire [illegible]

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TO LET—FURNISHED [illegible] close to St. James Park [illegible] for either one [illegible] flat 5 large rooms [illegible] located. Gas and [illegible] large yard, fruit and [illegible] M'GARVIN & [illegible] Spring st.

TO LET—BY EASTERN [illegible] furnished 9-room [illegible] Knabe piano, with [illegible] lease for a year to [illegible] tal. Apply at 606 [illegible] 5th-ave. car to the [illegible]

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TO LET—OFFICE ROOMS [illegible] corner Third and [illegible] 207, Conservative Life [illegible]

TO LET—ROOMS [illegible] cottages. Apply to C. E. [illegible] Catalina Island.

TO LET—DESK ROOM [illegible] both phones.

TO LET — STORE AD[JOINING] [illegible] joining Times Bldg. [illegible]

TO LET—$30 MONTH [illegible] large store space at [illegible]

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FAVORITES WIN OVER HALF OF THE RACES.

Track Conditions Will be Better After the Rains and the Mudders are Due for Victories—How Horses Have Finished.

The past week has witnessed some very good racing at Ascot Park, and on the whole the sports have very little complaint to make. A summary of the thirty-six races shows that favorites won twenty races. It is safe to say that this figure would have been increased but for the stupidity of several jockeys on the best horses, but as bad jockeyship has so much to do with either winning or losing, it is needless to estimate what would have happened with good riding.

With few exceptions, those who regularly attend the races are strong in the opinion that the sport has been conducted on the square. It is eminently proper that it should be, if the crowds are to be attracted to the races, for no class of citizens, whether they go to wager money or for real pleasure, wants to see races that have a suspicion of jobbery about them. Happily, no such races have been brought to the attention of anyone at Ascot up to this time, and the sport has been interesting to both the spectators and those who like to wager a little money on the ponies.

Whatever the racing may have been in the past three weeks, it is bound to improve from now on, for every drop of rain will make the track better by packing it down. This newt element will, on the other hand, work a hardship on the form-chart students, for as a general thing horses that cannot run on a dry or cuppy track can make a fine showing on a muddy track, and vic versa. This will doubtless bring the long shots home in bunches, and the pikers will have a chance to shine. This week will doubtless work some strange and startling revelations.

HOW FAVORITES FARE.

The element of luck the past week has been in favor of the sports, for favorites have won more than one-half of the races, have run second twice, third three times, and but five times outside of the money. The following table will best explain how the favorites, medium-priced horses and outsiders have finished during the past week in the thirty-six races:

	1st	2d	3d
Favorites	20	9	3
Medians	11	12	10
Outsiders	4	6	8

TODAY'S RACES.

The card for today which is a ladies' day, is as follows:

First race, five furlongs, selling: 5744 *Agnes Mack, 106; Mariel, 112; 5758 *Educate, 110; 5301 *Nellie May, 110; 5442 Del Vista, 115; 5434 Nell Holton, 115; 5660 Tioleta, 115; 5787 Nona B., 115; 5673 Estado, 117; 5674 Seaforth, 117.

Second race, Slauson course, selling: 5294 *Eva D., 97; (5661) *Hunpala, 97; 5708 *Winifreda, 97; (5663) *Quest, 99; 5698 Nora, 102; 5698 *Ocyrohe, 102; Hallie Beach, 102; 5710 Columbia Girl, 102; 5725 Lady Usk, 102; Jerry Flanigan, 104; 5726 Strife, 105; 5745 *Fox Lake, 105; 5725 Lady Belair, 108.

Third race, one mile and seventy yards, selling: 5722 *Lunar, 96; 5746 *Flourish, 100; 5746 *Ulm, 100; 5746 *Schwarzwald, 100; 5709 Profitable, 101; 5746 *Goldone, 103; 5758 Lurdan, 105; 5746 Ping, 106; 5749 Jingler, 106.

Fourth race, five furlongs, selling: 5744 *Mexicanna, 106; *Sceptre, 103; 5734 *Cardwellton, 111; 5757 *Almoner, 113; 5427 Fustian, 113; 5583 Maresa, 115; 5538 Beautiful and Best, 116; Stem Winder, 116; 5711 Best Man, 117; 5723 MacFleecknoe, 117.

Fifth race, one mile selling: (5746) *Labor, 101; (5732) *The Goldfinder, 101; (5734) Fortunatus, 102; 5732 Dr. Shorb, 103; (5744) *Rag Tag, 104; 5761 Henry Clay Rye, 112.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, selling: 5636 Rossaria, 93; 5745 Carnivel, 93; 5745 *Anirad, 98; 5698 *Lady Fonsa, 98; 5720 *Maud M., 92; 5746 *Olivilo, 94; 5712 *Honduran, 97; 5737 *Geisha Girl, 102; 5744 *Dollie Westhoff, 105; (5737) *Sallie Goodwin, 105; (5749) *Evander, 107; 5714 Hilary, 107; 5630 Paddy B., 109; 5737 Toto Gratiot, 113; 5699 Tax Man, 116.

*Apprentice allowance.

TARGET PRACTICE.

FUN AT RANGE.

Several riflemen journeyed to the new Schuetzen Park yesterday for fun. Claude Black, who has decided to "butt in" on the game again, was there with a target rifle, having left home the 30-40 ammunition prepared by him for Joe Singer for his last appearance. Residents of Pomona complained of the projectiles, and the untimely death of a dog in front of the Hotel Green in Pasadena, Black himself admits, was traced to one of the bullets. Woodenshoes Joe Singer yesterday, for once, had to doff his cap to William Frick, whose score of 207 was high for the day.

Jake Fleber fired his first series of shots over the range yesterday, and succeeded in hitting the target—once. Coming home with Claude Black that worthy let out a piece of horseflesh which he drives that can step some, and as Fleber opened his mouth to remonstrate at the extreme speed the horse threw a piece of oiled coal into it, effectively silencing further remarks. Black made the trip in from Schuetzen Park to the stable in twenty minutes, which is not far from car time.

Adolf Maas, whose score of 147 is not quite up to his standard, waxed very wroth at being "jobbed," as he said, on an accidental shot which counted against him, and did nothing to better his score. President Hauerwaas tried in vain to console the young man, but he wouldn't be pacified, and at last reports was still on the warpath trying to find out who got his trigger.

Scores of the day follow:

William Frick, 207;	Joe Singer, 193;				
W. H. Fraser, 184;	V. H. Tisdale, 185,				
Aug. Wagniere, 183;	Claude Black,				
186;	F. Huebsch, 151;	A. Maas, 147;			
H. E. Pratt, 109;	A. Cavel, 96.				

The last gentleman, a visitor, used a 35-caliber rifle.

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POMPANO RUN IS RECORD BREAKER.

FISHERMEN HAVE A FIELD DAY IN SAN PEDRO BAY.

Pumpkin Seeds are There by the Million, and Many are Snagged. Good Catches Made by Everybody Kingfish and Herring Also Taken.

All local records for pompano fishing were smashed into microscopic bits yesterday in San Pedro Harbor.

News of the big run of pumpkin seeds printed in The Times pink sheet yesterday morning furnished the chief topic of conversation on the fishermen's trains and sent hundreds scurrying for places upon the wharves. The catch of pompano was doubtless unprecedented in local angling annals. Those who went rigged for the little fellows caught them by the dozen; others extemporized snag hooks and so thickly packed was the school that one fisherman repeatedly brought in four at a haul. The pompano were there seemingly by the million; the school was inexhaustable; the fish so ravenous that any kind of bait was acceptable, and the anglers simply slaughtered them.

The run of kingfish which has been in progress for the past week continued yesterday in its full force and with these imitation corbina appeared scattering schools of herring and big smelts. The anglers all took toll out of the droves as they passed up and down channel, but the pompano apparently predominated in numbers and forced themselves into the catch.

It is doubtful if San Pedro Bay even in times of the big croaker run in the early fall, ever afforded sport to a bigger crowd than was on hand yesterday. The wharves on both sides of the "creek" were black with fishermen and bristling with rods; the place looked like Redondo on a busy summer Sunday. How long the run will last is problematic; the present change in the weather will probably end it. What brought the fish inside in such unprecedented numbers is beyond the ken of any of the fishermen. Robert Campbell and Maurice Kremer, who have fished this coast for many years, never before saw anything like it and are at a loss to account for it.

Prominent in the boat brigade yesterday were Will Stearns and Eugene Elliott, whose serviceable old scow was absolutely slippery with fish when the day was done. Pompano, kingfish, herring and smelts all found their way into the sacks. H. W. Coomber and W. S. Skeel were rigged for pompano and caught a sackful of them. Campbell and Bottiller, who stayed with the kingfish until noon and then adjourned to Brighton Beach, made a bad move as not a single smell of a surf did they get. Al Sheriff, and in fact nearly all the regulars, were on hand and they were reinforced by dozens of newcomers and residents of San Pedro.

Elsewhere along the coast some scattering runs of pompano were encountered yesterday. The sport in general was decidedly below the San Pedro average. Playa Del Rey was patronized well, and a few good catches were made.

The breakwater was not used much yesterday on account of the threatening weather. All indications presaged a storm with plenty of wind, so not many of the bass fishermen succeeded in getting by the attractions at San Pedro.

All week, scattering parties of anglers will go down in quest of the pumpkin seeds, but the run is too good to last, and the rain will probably put an end to it.

WIDGEON STILL SHOT IN PLENTY.

BALLONA CLUBMEN HAVE THEIR USUAL SUNDAY SPORT.

Dark, Low Skies Make it Difficult to Judge Distance on Overhead Shots and Account for Some Provoking Misses—The Luck Around Bixby.

"Too high" was the disgusted grunt of many a duck shooter on the Ballona marshes yesterday as he gazed through the transparent nitro-powder vapor after a clean double miss at the swiftly-soaring snowy breasts of the white-winged widgeon, as cleanly cut against the black sky as any cameo. Big birds they are, and deceptive enough as to distance in bright weather; on such a morning as yesterday's true indeed must be the eye, steady and trained the nerve which would not occasionally count them forty yards overhead when they were at least sixty. An occasional winged bird back of the one fired at told the wiser ones the trouble, and a doubled lead remedied the missing component, but the conditions made calculation largely a matter of guesswork. It is a far different matter hitting ducks in the middle at forty yards than at sixty, and the veriest novice knows full well that over double the allowance must be made in order to score as clean a kill at the greater distance provided the gun is equal to the emergency—and few are.

Widgeon outnumbered the sprigs two for one yesterday, and owing to the greater wariness of the long-necked gentry, the chunky birds with the white epaulettes found their way into the bag quite freely. Well-placed stands of decoys invited them below, and the siren notes of the call telling of the refreshments on tap were not sounded in vain. Flock after flock of widgeon came in off the hills just before time to fire the opening gun, and with them were many sprigs. In a confused, motley mass they piled into the Ballona marshes until the most conservative of observers were prepared to admit there were many thousands in sight. Cautiously sailing about overhead, looking for possible traps, the sprigs kept fairly well aloof from barn's way, but their more impatient relatives lost no time about coming down, and set their wings for the long pitch with an air of determination that shooting for a time seemed to have no noticeable effect upon, but the ceaseless pounding eventually did its work, and long before noon the bunches were coming in sky high, circling about circumspectly, and lighting in far-away corners of the pond. When a widgeon is a fool, he is an exceedingly asinine bird; but after a few charges of chilled sixes have tickled him on the belly he begins to dislike the smell of powder, and then all killed are earned.

Thirteen checkerbreast geese came off the hills in the morning but only eleven went back at night, so somebody must have made a double on them yesterday. One fell on the Santa Monica grounds. The unlucky number of birds have been a feature of several duck hunts in the Ballona section lately; the band appears to be under the leadership of a very wise old gander who has been through the war before, and shots at them have been exceedingly hard to obtain.

The Bixby clubs had a good shoot yesterday along with the rest, many big birds being included in the strings which were thrown into the four o'clock train.

Heavy rains at this time will bring in a new army of teal and spoonbills from the north, and the visitors will probably be as fat as butter. The local teal and spoonies are getting rather thin in many cases. A rain to start their natural food again will help them greatly.

John Hauerwaas, Gen. Last and four or five others had an average shoot on the Recreation grounds yesterday.

GOODLY CROWD OF MARKSMEN.

EXPERTS SMASH BLUEROCKS AT SHERMAN.

Bernhart Makes Best Score on the Day—Percentages Would Have Been Better Had Men Not Stood Back—New Grounds Improved.

Dark weather and the resulting bad light interfered somewhat with scores at the Los Angeles Gun Club's first practice shoot yesterday, held at the Sherman grounds. Owing to the crowd which turned out for the day's sport, only about eighty birds were shot off to the man. Three full squads were in attendance, shooting in all the four events which were arranged during the day. Bernhart was high with 48 breaks, Gibson second with 43 and Vaughan third with 42 in a possible 70.

Scores would doubtless have been better had not many of the shooters stepped back to twenty yards with Vaughan for the sake of seeing how it seemed. The ten-bird events were shot at the 20-yard score, both 25-bird shoots at the ordinary distance of sixteen yards.

	1-10	2-10	3-10	4-10	Tri.
Vaughn	10	7	22	15	42
Bernhart	10	8	19	16	48
Orr	10	4	15	15	40
Gibson	10	8	21	14	43
Clubb	10	8	21	14	43
Kane	10	7	21	14	42
Fredericks	10	8	19	15	42
Black	10	8	17	15	40
Smith	10	8	17	16	41
Van	10	8	17	15	40
Watson, J.	10	8	21	13	..
Howe	..	..	21	13	..
Hagerman	..	..	21	16	..
Orr	..	..	19	..	..
Neff	..	..	17	..	..
Sherwood	..	..	15	..	..
Wilke	..	..	..	..	..
Haywood, Jr.	..	..	..	..	..

HOUND RACES ARE SHORT ONES.

DOGS DO QUICK WORK AT ANGELES PARK.

Majority of Courses go to Public Choice—Tom King Again Victorious in Class Stake—Other Event Goes to Jigamaroo.

Comparatively short courses and the victory of the favorites were the features of the coursing yesterday at Angeles Park, and a large crowd saw the sport. Tom King won the class stake very easily from Quitter, and the greatly-improved Jigamaroo annexed the reserve stake. The results were as follows:

Class stake: Patino beat Wapse 7-5, Flowery Friend beat Anna Ryne 8-7, St. Louis beat Farmer Girl 6-2, Tom King beat Aeolus 4-0, Quitter beat Lot Chord 8-2, Rock Island Minnie beat Boodle Boy 7-3.

First tie: Patino beat Flowery Friend 3-0, Tom King beat St. Louis 4-1, Quitter beat Rock Island Minnie 7-4.

Second ties: Tom King beat Patino 4-2, Quitter a natural bye.

Final: Tom King beat Quitter 6-4.

Class stake, consolation: Anna Ryne beat Wapse 9-3, Farmer Girl beat Aeolus 5-3, Lost Chord beat Boodle Boy 9-2.

First ties: Anna Ryne beat Farmer Girl 9-6, Lost Chord a bye.

Final: Lost Chord beat Anna Ryne 8-1.

Reserve stake: Pinto B. beat Romping Girl 3-1, Medea beat Becky Sharp 7-3, Jigamaroo beat True Still 5-2, Domestic Lad beat Lady Angeles 10-4, Agile Spurt beat Cavaletta 5-0, Loyal Lad beat St. Ives 5-2.

First ties: Pinto B. beat Medea 10-4, Jigamaroo beat Domestic Lad 7-1, Agile Spurt beat Loyal Lad 5-4.

Second ties: Jigamaroo beat Pinto B. 5-1, Agile Spurt a bye.

Final: Jigamaroo beat Agile Spurt 5-3.

Reserve, consolation: Romping Girl beat Becky Sharp 5-0, True Still beat Lady Angeles 7-3, Cavaletta beat St. Ives 5-4.

First ties: True Gill beat Romping Girl 5-1, Cavaletta a bye.

Final: Cavaletta beat True Still 5-4.

FAIR TRALEE WINS.

CRONIN FIRST AND SECOND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fair Tralee and Tralee Boy, both from the kennel of T. J. Cronin, were the two greyhounds left in the deciding course of the open stake at Union Coursing Park today. Fair Tralee, a two-year-old hound, took the race from his more seasoned half-brother, with the betting odds 3 to 1 against him, and scored his first victory in an open stake race. There were seventy-two entries. The surprise of the day was the defeat in the second round of Palo Alto by Gambit, 2 to 0, and Fair Tralee's victory over Pocatelli by 3 to 2, also in the second round. Neither Palo Alto nor Pocatelli, who were favorites, ran true to form. The hares ran poorly on account of the wet ground, and some of the courses were remarkably short. The short ends who won were about fifteen in number, but there was one big upset—the defeat of Renegade Apache by Imperius, with the betting at 6 to 1 on the former. The crowd was large for bad weather and the betting fair.

Favorites had a hard time at Ingleside Coursing Park today. The talent fell to Clover Blossom, who lost to Pacing Billy at the fancy price of 1 to 6, and a little later was despoiled again when the 1-to-4 shot Cloverdale went out to Haddington. This was only the beginning of the "wise" ones' troubles, which culminated in the final round, when Ragged Actor, at odds of 1 to 2, lost the race and stake to Golden Rule.

BOWLERS SCORE GOOD GAMES.

PLAY IN BOTH LEAGUES IS UP TO AVERAGE.

New Trio Tourney Begins Tomorrow Evening—Eugenes of San Francisco Play Here This Week. High Scores on Local Alleys.

The bowlers are still pursuing the even tenor of existence without doing anything very startling and consequently there is nothing worthy of particular notice as the result of last week's play. Players in both the Interurban and Commercial leagues are holding their own as compared with the previous week.

The team race for first place in the Interurban League is a close and interesting one at present, the end of the forty-fifth game showing that the Tuxedo team led the Pasadena bowlers by only 59 pins. As compared with the work of the Southern California League, recently retired from business, it is stated that the Tuxedo team bowled thirty-three pins more than the Christopher team of the old league, while Lustig, the high average man of the Interurbans, has an average of 189⅝, as against 194⅝ for the old league's high average man. The high team score was made by the Pasadena team, which bowled 2880.

TEAM STANDING.

	Total pins.	Average.
Tuxedo	38,999	866
Pasadena	38,940	865
Sporting News	38,486	855
Ocean Park	36,018	800
Reliance	35,730	793
Crescents	35,132	780
Santa Fé	34,596	777
San Pedro	30,150	685

INDIVIDUAL.

Lustig, Tuxedo, 185; Benfer, Tuxedo, 181; Giddings, Pasadena, 177; Wilson, Sporting News, 176; Hollen, Sporting News, 174; Legge, Pasadena, 173; Payne, Pasadena, 173; Craig, Tuxedo, 173; Tufford, Sporting News, 171; Jacoba, Tuxedo, 171; Tupper, Sporting News, 170; Bowron, Reliance, 170; Becker, Pasadena, 170; Valenzuela, Ocean Park, 168; Parkes, Crescents, 167; Newburn, Santa Fé, 167; Menard, Sporting News, 165; Verts, Ocean Park, 165; Hungerford, Reliance, 163; Graves, Santa Fé, 161; Willis, Reliance, 161; Chapelle, Tuxedo, 160.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.

Play in this league is improving all the time, both in team and individual work. Some of the players have a license to play in any company. The Santa Fés still lead, having won ten matches out of eleven played. The Rushers are trailing along, and are likely to jump into first place at any time. Simmons of the Rushers still holds down first place in the individual averages and he also won the Tupper medal last week.

Team standing and individual averages are as follows:

TEAM STANDING.

	P'T'd.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Santa Fé	11	10	1	.909
Rushers	11	9	2	.817
Conservative	12	6	6	.500
Union Oil	12	6	6	.500
Al Ards	12	4	8	.333
Brunswick	12	3	9	.250
Bartletts	12	3	9	.250

INDIVIDUALS.

Simmons, Rushers, 173 2-33; Hann, Conservative Life, 173 28-37; Graves, Santa Fé, 168 25-33; Newburn, Santa Fé, 165 4-33; Keith, Santa Fé, 163 13-33; J. F. Salyer, Bartlett Music, 159 1-3; Simpson, R. R. C., 156 2-3; O. K. Evans, Conservative Life, 154 1-3; Ed. Salyer, Bartlett Music, 156 1-0; Meier, Union Oil, 156; Wilson, Rushers, 155 20-33; Baker, Union Oil, 154 1-3; Harris, Rushers, 153 12-33; Dutton, Santa Fé, 153 1-3; De Lanty, Baby Brunswicks, 153⅓; Stephens, R. R. C., 153; Williams, Rushers, 150⅔; Moore, Bartlett Music, 150 1-6.

GREAT MATCH PLAY.

WILL END THIS WEEK.

The great event in local bowling circles this week will be the final ten games at Morley's alleys between the Eugene team of San Francisco and the All-Stars of this city. Ten of the original twenty games have already been bowled in San Francisco, and the Los Angeles team finished 113 pins ahead of the Eugenes. It goes without saying that the local followers of the sport hope the local team will hold its lead. As announced previously in these columns, the third set of five games will be bowled next Saturday night and the concluding five on Sunday night.

CLASS B TOURNEY.

MANY TEAMS ENTERED.

The success of the class B tournament to be given at Morley's alleys on South Main street is now assured for twelve teams have entered. Captains or representatives of these teams met at Morley's on Saturday night and practically perfected all the details of the tournament. The names of the teams are as follows: Sunnysides, Jr., Eagles, Erratics, Electrics, Rushers, Westerners, Amateurs, Collegians, Stars, Stripes, Brunswicks and Belmonts.

The enthusiasm was very strong and the prospects are so bright that it was decided to do business at once, and accordingly the tourney will begin tomorrow night, the preliminary schedule for the opening matches having been arranged as follows:

Eagles and Brunswicks at Sunnyside alleys.

Belmonts and Erratics at Belmont alleys.

Stripes and Amateurs at Morley's.

Matches for Thursday night were arranged as follows:

Collegians and Sunnyside, Jr., at Morley's.

Westerners and Rushers at Belmont alleys.

Electrics and Stars at Sunnyside alleys.

The team captains will meet at Morley's Wednesday night to complete the schedule.

MONARCH NOTES.

H. W. Legge, the manager of the Pasadena alleys, dropped into the Monarch last Monday and rolled up 180 average for four games. Legge says he has a five-man team bowling tournament starts on his alleys, and has five teams entered Mr. Legge certainly shows the proper spirit in boosting the bowling game. If some of the Los Angeles alleys managers got in line and followed they would put their business on a better footing.

B. Hershey and Capt. Willis played a match game at bottle pins for a purse of $20 on the Monarch alleys last Tuesday, Capt. Willis winning in a walk. Scores follow:

	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Ave.
Willis	123	202	113	438	146
Hershey	95	82	103	280	93 1-3

Frank Samuelson, Jr., and Dr. W. R. Holladay played a match game at seven pins for a purse and a dinner. The doctor's bowling was very consistent, but not strong enough for "Sammy." Scores follow:

	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Ave.
Samuelson, Jr.	79	68	72	219	73 1-3
Dr. Holladay	56	66	62	184	61

A week ago the management of the Monarch alleys introduced the good old game of rubberneck, playing it with two small balls, and on Friday evening held a successful individual tournament, in which Capt. H. B. Willis of the Reliance team finished first, F. Samuelson second, and C. W. Phillips third. The players were so infatuated with the game that they continued to play after the tournament was over. The "City Club" was so interesting that some of them missed the last car.

Rubberneck has come to stay, and a number of interesting match games may be looked for.

Ed Salyer, a young bowler, who bowls with his father on the Bartlett Music Company team, in the Commercial League, showed quite a stunt at tenpins on the Monarch alleys last Wednesday. He bowled seven games, with an average of 183, and high roll of 227, which is going some for a class B bowler.

The Sporting News and the Crescents bowled a great game in the Interurban League last week, the former winning by the small margin of 34 pins.

Mrs. H. C. Scott has raised the ladies' high score at the Monarch alleys from 211 to 214.

Dr. W. R. Holladay holds the Monarch record for 7 pins.

B. Hershey and L. H. Taylor have been bowling some hot series at 5-pins at the Monarch alleys. The best one, for a $50 purse, had the following scores:

	1.	2.	3.	Tot.
Hershey	2	7	7	16
Taylor	7	2	7	16

HIGH SCORES.

High scores at the various leading alleys last week were as follows:

MONARCH.

Ten-pins: J. Pearne, 201, 205, 204, 201, 209, 210; Bud Holmes, 226; J. Bender, 215, 213, 211, 205, 225, 202, 234, 226; J. Bowron, 204, 227, 208, 224, 227, 213, 201, Al. Craig, 207, 204, 204, 224; B. Lustig, 247, 204, 227, 213, 214, 204, 203, 225, 221, 205, 213, 224, 226, 208, 224, 213, 225, 221, 213; George Schworm, 212, 205, 202, 206; H. W. Legge, 209; E. J. Mellus, 200; J. Menard, 202; Charles Costello, 204, 202, 202, 223; Sam Crolie, 201; George Griffith, 220; Alf Mackenzie, 213, 223, 221, 213, 202, 203, 223, 216, 211, 214, 220; F. W. Cannuleon, Jr., 201, 214; Ed. Hollen, 224, 215, 208, 225; D. S. Parks, 211; Darling, 213; 204; Salyer, 225, 227, 226; Dr. R. C. Garland, 205, 213; H. F. Hoyt, 203, 229, 205, 200, 212, 202, 244, 219; 204, Simmons, 228, 216; Secor, 202; R. L. Harrison, 212; L. E. Taylor, 211; M. J. Balch, 201; C. W. Maxson, 214, 202; C. Jacobs, 206, 202; E. R. Potter, 225; C. Miller, 226; Holley, 227; J. Newburn, 216; A. Hungerford, 221; White, 213; Bridenbach, 202; D. Grant, 201.

Rubber neck: Frank Mellus, 114; L. H. Taylor, 107, 108, 104, 110; J. Menard, 109; J. Bender, 120, 105, 125; B. Hershey, 112, 107, 104, 107, 120, 127, 101, 114; F. W. Samuelson, Jr., 110, 109, 108, 113, 102, 104, 113, 110, 117, 107, 107; A. Ebbitz, 108, 102, 101; H. E. Willis, 100, 110, 102, 101, 102, 124, 106; C. W. Phillips, 114; E Williams, 106; Dr. W. R. Holladay, 107, 104; Alf. Mackenzie, 106; B. H. Holmes, 113; W. Phillips, 101; W. T. Tupper, 104, 102, 103.

SUNNYSIDE ALLEYS.

Tenpins: Allan Craig, 202, 256; Laursen, 225, 225, 210, 222, 201, 223, 214; Hawkins, 247, 234, 213, 200, 210, 201, 202, 202; Newton, 201; King, 216, 213; W. B. Proudfit, 202, 205, 221, 220; Thayer, 204, 222, 235, 209, 208; O. K. Evans, 203; Van Curen, 234, 224, 223, 257; Holmes, 206; Thomas Scott, 201; C. W. Maxson, 215; H. Lorens, 247, 200, 205, 214; J. Benfer, 226; C. A. Wilson, 205, 209, 211, 207, 206, 225; E. Wilson, 207; A. Wilson, 202; Kentaska, 202, 223, 206; D. R. Parkes, 201; H. Wrakshaupt, 222, 202, 226, 204, 218, 208, 209; H. McCartney, 210; P. Kitchen, 221; S. Crolie, 214.

Ladies' tenpins: Mrs. E. C. Bates, 213, 171, 159, 154, 161, 180, 179, 161, 189; Mrs. Jennie B. Healey, 168; Mrs. T. Mack, 215; Mrs. F. Porter, 166; Mrs. A. J. Knox, 158, 154, 152, 151, 171, 156; Mrs. H. S. Scott, 198, 154, 198, 152, 154, 173, 200, 153, 213, 192, 197, 188, 220, 155, 167.

Beginning this week prizes will be given at the Sunnyside alleys for weekly and monthly high scores, second high weekly score and two ladies' prizes each week. Today will inaugurate ladies' free matinée every Monday from 1 to 4 o'clock.

MORLEY'S ALLEYS.

Tenpins: Clark, 213, 244, 252, 213; Tyler, 222; Freeman, 204, 213; Kanazas, 213; Baird, 225; Coleman, 204; Myers, 214; Auger, 209; Gray, 234; Franklin, 202; Baird, 204; Williams, 207, 204, 202; Dugan, 211; Dystenger, 202, 213, 204; Lacey, 200, 243, 204, 214; Gilman, 208; Simpson, 213, 213; Quinn, 214; Benfer, 226; Powell, 203; Lowman, 213.

Pins: Meiswender, 194, 188, 180; Stirlmple, 192; Williams, 190; Hollingsfel, 178, 196, 198; Franklin, 113, 138, 206; Romell, 193, 194; Teague, 194, 194; Irwin, 197.

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WOMEN FOIL HOUSE BREAKER.

BRAVELY USE REVOLVERS ON TWO WOULD-BE ROBBERS.

Save Their Home From Being Looted—San Bernardino Boy Has Both Legs Cut Off Under Wheels of Freight Train.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 17.—Mrs. John Talmadge and her daughter, Miss Birtha Talmadge, gave a brace of would-be burglars a warm reception this morning at an early hour, surprising the fellows as they were making an effort to enter the Talmadge residence on F street, near Fifth.

Shortly after 2 o'clock the women were awakened by a noise coming from a rear window. The women investigated and saw two men stealthily sawing, aided by the rays from a dark lantern. The women rapped on the window, which only caused the men to step into the shadow of the house, and to resume their efforts after a short interval.

The women then used their revolvers, firing several shots through the window directly to the point where the men were at work. The discharge of the weapons drove the thieves away, and aroused the neighborhood. Two men answering the description of the thieves have been loitering about town for some days, and are under suspicion.

BOTH LEGS CUT OFF.

Doomed to go through life with both legs cut off just below the thighs, if he survives the results of a horrible accident here today, nine-year-old Elroy Cope furnishes another example of the danger boys court in jumping trains.

The Cope boy, with several companions, was this afternoon jumping freight trains as they came into the yards. Suddenly he missed his footing, could not save himself and fell beneath the wheels, which passed over both legs, cutting them off below the thighs. Surgeons say the boy cannot live. He is the son of the Santa Fé train dispatcher at this place.

TWO FUNERALS.

The funeral of Frederick Poselle, for years a prominent resident of this city, took place this afternoon from the late residence on C street, above Base Line, Rev. Mark R. Shaw officiating. Deceased is survived by a widow, two daughters and a son.

The funeral of C. W. Burgess will take place Tuesday afternoon from the First Methodist Church, the services being in charge of Rev. Isaac Jewell of Pasadena. Deceased was a member in good standing of thirteen of the local fraternal orders, all of which will attend the funeral in a body.

LIVELY FAMILY FIGHT.

Because Manuel Nieto's wife objected to having his parents reside with him, he yesterday gave her a severe beating, which led to his arrest last night on complaint of the woman. She had just arrived from El Paso, Tex., and no sooner had entered the cosy house he had built and furnished when the subject of the parents came up. In the argument which followed she threw a cup and saucer at him, laying open his scalp. He then sailed into her and administered a beating, which left her in an unconscious condition.

TO PROTECT WATER RIGHTS.

The property holders' meeting held last night for the purpose of taking measures to stop foreign corporations from draining the valley of its artesian water resulted in the organization of a company for the purpose of protecting the water rights of the members. The meeting was attended by thirteen property owners, as representatives of their respective sections of the valley.

Pioneer Holcomb, discoverer of Holcomb Valley, north of San Bernardino, is lying very close to death. He has been critically ill for several weeks.

Frank Pearce was painfully injured yesterday in a collision with a dray. While scorching along Third street on his bicycle, he reached the corner of F street, just as the dray was turning out for a car and crashed into it, breaking his wheel and throwing him against the curb six feet distant. No bones were broken.

CANNOT REACH ITS STATION.

PROPERTY OWNERS MAKE TROUBLE FOR SALT LAKE.

Company Has Handsome Depot but Is Unable to Send Trains Into It Because of Injunctions—Great Polo Games at Riverside.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 17.—The officials of the Salt Lake Railroad are having difficulty in completing the line into this city. The road has located its handsome depot on Vine street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, but is having no end of trouble in getting permission to reach that depot with trains. Already two of the property owners on Vine street have obtained injunctions in the Superior Court to prevent the running of trains and it is reported that many more will follow suit. In their complaints they allege, among other things, that the sparks from passing engines will endanger their residences, and that already insurance companies have notified them of an advance in rates.

POLO TODAY.

Perhaps the most interesting polo game of the season at Chemawa Park will take place tomorrow afternoon. Among the members of the Riverside Polo Club are several experts with the stick and in horsemanship. These will be augmented by two polo players of national reputation—Capt. Neil Haig and J. Frank MacKay, who have just arrived from England and are at the Glenwood for the winter. They are polo enthusiasts and had twenty-five choice ponies selected for their use.

Y.M.C.A Matters.

Members of the local Y.M.C.A expect a visit from some workers of national reputation. These men are L. W. Messer, general secretary of the Chicago Association and George N. Bierce, a manufacturer, of Dayton, O. Both are eloquent speakers and enthusiastic workers in the cause. An all-day institute will probably be held, attended by representatives from the associations in this part of the State. This will be followed by a tea given in honor of the visitors. In the evening there will be a mass-meeting, at which these speakers will deliver addresses.

ORANGETTES.

Word comes from Honolulu that Charles Dole, the noted Pacific Coast athlete who was so seriously injured by a fall recently, is much improved. Mr. Dole is a great polo player and had planned to be here next month to participate in the California pony racing and polo tournament.

F. W. Carpenter of Columbia, Tenn., who is spending the winter here, will be joined today by his brother, J. H. Carpenter and also by W. J. Howard, both from the same city.

County Coroner Dickson has just returned from Dos Palms, out on the desert. At that place he held an inquest on the remains of A. E. Scott, a teamster employed by the Ora Copia Mining Company, who died from heart trouble.

HORSE CRUSHES CHILD'S SKULL.

PROBABLE FATAL ACCIDENT TO INFANT AT VENTURA.

Unconfirmed Rumor That Oxnard Sugar Factory May Close—Dry Weather Troubles Beet Farmers. Well-known Ventura Citizen Very Sick.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Jan. 17.—While playing in the back yard of her home this morning, among the horses that had become familiar figures to her and that she did not fear, little two-year-old Francisca Simontechi unintentionally crept too near the animals and was kicked in the head.

The little one's skull was horribly crushed and the brains were scattered. The child nearly bled to death on the way to the Elisabeth Bard Hospital, and doctors say there is no possible hope of saving her life.

The child's father, J. Simontechi, is a farmer, who now lives in this city.

SUGAR FACTORY MAY CLOSE.

There are rumors to the effect that the big beet-sugar factory at Oxnard will not run the coming season, with a dry year in view. A dry season will materially affect the beet crop, but considerable beet land can be brought under irrigation. To date there have been 150 acres of beets planted in the county, as against 2900 at the same time last year.

The dry weather is making alkali lands almost valueless this year, even for beets. Early planting and abundant moisture are necessary to secure a stand in alkali lands, but once the plants take root, they grow nearly as well in alkali soil as in any other. Beet growers say that with six inches of rain this spring, three or four inches before the middle of February, and an inch or so in March or April, and a little in May, there is an assurance of a beet crop of from 14,000 to 15,000 acres and good tonnage.

If February passes without rain the beet acreage may be cut to 4000 or 5000 acres, which would mean the running of but one factory, as Chino lands could not be depended upon to do more than 2000 or 3000. The probable 10,000 acres of beets would make but a short campaign. Drought in this county would cut out the Las Posas and Schiappapietra ranches, Springville and Carpinteria, and other tracts not under ditch. The beet acreage adjacent to the factory in this county will be increased, as it is easier to irrigate beets than beans, and in case of drought many farmers who can irrigate have signified to the factory their willingness to plant beets.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A pretty party was held Saturday evening at the Leslie Chaffee residence on East Main street, to celebrate the eighteenth anniversary of the birthday of Miss Alva Isensee. The rooms were beautifully decorated in smilax and flowers. The evening was devoted to dancing, after which a bounteous birthday feast was served. Those present were Misses Effie Bartlett, Mabel Bartlett, Ada Martin, Celia McGonigle, Mary Baker, Josie Sanches, Hattie Simmons, Monis Mills, Bertha Bell, Alva Isensee, Ruth Dennis, Hazel Isensee and Pearl MacPherson; and Messrs. Frank Bates, Charles Mensel, Floyd Mensel, Robert Sudden, Robert Sheridan, Reuel Lewis, Henry McGonigle, Tom Donlon, John Arnell, John Reppy, David Alvord, George Sexton, Ernest Jones and Hallie Hammons.

Ex-Justice J. Y. Saviers, an old and respected citizen of this county, is reported as lying very ill at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. M. O. Poster, of Oxnard.

OXNARD.

NEW CASTING FOUNDRY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OXNARD, Jan. 17.—There have been vague rumors for a month past that a casting foundry would be built in connection with J. F. Fulkerson's machine shop. The sugar factory alone uses from $15,000 to $20,000 worth of castings each season and has been generous in patronizing home industry whenever possible. A corporation has been formed, including among others the American Beet Sugar Company, Henry T. Oxnard, Robert Oxnard, Col. J. A. Driffill, Ernest Hamilton and J. F. Fulkerson. Lots adjoining Mr. Fulkerson's present establishment have been bought and a large plant will soon be erected. J. F. Fulkerson will be superintendent of the new work, looking after the blacksmithing and wagonmaking, while Bob Miller will have charge of the foundry and machine shop.

The electric road, on which so many fond hopes have been placed, has apparently been electrocuted. All construction work has ceased and the track covered with earth as far as the Plaza. Delay in placing bonds and trouble over the wharf site are the reasons given out from headquarters. It is impossible to learn whether Mr. Huntington has purchased the property or not, but it is said work will be resumed the first of February.

HUENEME.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

HUENEME, Jan. 17.—Joe Linnel, who has for several years so satisfactorily carried on the affairs of the Hotel Seaside, will soon leave here. Mr. McCoy of Prescott, Aris., who owns the hotel, is expected here today to take temporary charge.

J. H. Masterson, who has been a guest at the home of Dr. R. D. Potts, returned last week to his home in Galveston, Tex.

Rev. G. C. Wright, was called to Santa Paula, Thursday to assist in revival services.

Mr. Peters and family of Santa Paula moved to Hueneme last week. Mr. Peters owns a small sailing vessel and expects to do deep-sea fishing.

James Kelley and family are again in Hueneme after a nine months' residence in Oxnard.

The annual business meeting of the Baptist Church held last week, showed most satisfactory reports from all the financial departments of the church.

Glen Dewar entertained a small company, including four young men from the Philippine Islands, at his home Wednesday evening.

SANTA ANA.

DROPS DEAD IN HIS HOME.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 17.—Without the slightest warning death this afternoon claimed Ela Mitchell, formerly a prominent rancher at Garden Grove, who for the past few years has made his home in this city.

Mr. Mitchell appeared to be in his usual health this morning and attended to the work which he is accustomed to do at his home on South Main street. This afternoon while at his home he suddenly dropped to the floor and was dead when assistance arrived. Heart failure is supposed to have caused his death.

Deceased was 60 years of age, a veteran of the Civil War and well known in this section of the State. He is survived by his widow in this city, a son at Eureka, a brother at Pleasanton, Alameda county, and a daughter, Mrs. Kiefharber, at Clearwater.

An inquest will be held by Coroner Smith tomorrow.

FAMOSO DOWIE DESEA COLONIAS

EN LA ISLA MATAGORDA, GOLFO DE MEJICO.

Pretenden Practicar Allí Lo Que el Publico en Chicago Desea Prueba. Arrendamiento del Gobierno es Posible—El Presidente Parte.

[The following epitome of the important news of Mexico is published in Spanish for the benefit of Times readers in Los Angeles and tributary country who prefer to read in the original language a terse record of important events in the sister republic.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 16.—Acompañado de su señora y miembros de su familia, incluyendo Lic. Lorenzo Elizaga y señora, Señor de Teresa y Arsenio Combaluzier, el presidente partio jueves medio dia para Guadalajara y Lago Chapala, con intencion pasar varios dias, especialmente cazando venado.

Martes parlamento Austriaco prorrogo por un año tratado comercial entre Mexico y Austria.

Miercoles tarde celebroso en la oficina del Lic. Ignacio Sepulveda la primera reunion de la Sociedad Protectora de Animales propuesta en Mexico. Siete señores Mexicanos y extrangeros presentes formaronse comision, y nombraron Arnold Marburg, Tomas Lakeside, Phillip y Edward C. Butler, sub-comision para preparar reglamentos y designar segunda reunion. Despues de formada sociedad pediran audiencia con el Presidente de la Republica. Tambien Ministro del Ramo y Gobernador Distrito Federal para fomentar legislacion adecuada prevenir crueldad a los animales y hacer obligatoria en escuelas del gobierno instruccion capaz de inculcar niñes ideas de bondad hacia animales.

Mediante su representante Jesse A. Joseph, ahora en Mexico, John Alexander Dowie, el famoso religionisto y pretendido practicante de curaciones hipnoticas desea obtener del Gobierno Federal en arrendamiento las Islas Matagorda, Golfo de Mexico, y Tiburones, Golfo de California, para colonias suyos quienes pretenden practicar en suelo Mexicano lo que el publico en Chicago desea prueba.

Leon Vargas Navarro, Consul Mexicano en Phoenix, Arizona, aqui. Walter Y. Brelont Everett, de la Compañia Constructora de Chiapas, actualmente construyendo la via Ferrea Panamericana en aquel Estado, llegaron hoy. Se expresan muy satisfechos del progreso de la obra. A principios de Marso habran concluido primer tramo via desde San Geronimo estacion del Ferrocarril de Tehuantepec, luego procederan con segundo tramo desde Tonala hasta frontera de la Guatemalteca.

C. P. Kiel, presidente de la compañia, Kiel y Eband, constructora de carruajes finos, esta aqui, con fin de estudiar condiciones locales, y si son favorables establecera fabrica para cuyo objeto, cuenta con un millon de pesos oro.

Los Legislaturas de Coahuila, Michoacan y Vera Cruz, ya aprobaron iniciativa para la creacion de la vicepresidencia de la republica. Cuando reciba el Congreso Nacional la aprobacion de dos-terceras partes de las legislaturas de los Estados, formulisara la ley nombremiento del Mgr. Serafino con de Legado Apostolico de Roma a Mexico, no implica renovacion de relaciones diplomaticas entre esta y reply Vaticano rotas a la caida de Maxmiliano dichas relaciones jamas se renoven dentro de pocos dias se espera que todas las fabricas de papel en el Distrito Federal sean combinados en una siende la que asume todas la de San Rafael con capital de dos millones pesos.

EDWARD C. BUTLER.

CAPTURED BY FARMERS.

Two Supposed Safe-robbers Hunted Down Near Paola Kan., and Found With Arms on Them.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PAOLA (Kan.) Jan. 17.—Two men giving their names as Charles Gorney, aged 29, of St. Paul, Minn., and Thomas Roerers, aged 30, of Butte, Mont., who are suspected of attempting to rob the bank of Cleveland, Mo., and of blowing open the safe in the Missouri, Kansas and Texas station, with nitro-glycerine, wrecking the safe and the interior of the station of Louisburg last night, were surrounded and captured near here today by a posse of 300 farmers and members of the Anti-Horsethief Association, who had been on their trail since daylight.

Several shots were fired before the men surrendered. No one was hurt. The men had in their possession revolvers, ammunition and nitro-glycerine.

CAR TAKES A HEADER.

Passengers Piled in Heaps and Several Injured.

Trouble Caused by Defective Automatic Switch.

Light Poles Splintered by the Runaway.

One of the most peculiar accidents in the annals of street-car traffic in Los Angeles happened last night at 10:15 o'clock at the corner of Fifth street and Maple avenue. The lives of half a score of persons were endangered and despite the fact that the accident was of such a character that two twenty-inch poles were smashed to splinters, no person was seriously injured and the car was but little damaged.

Car No. 155 of the Temple Block-Arcade Depot line of the Pacific Electric Railway Company was speeding east along Fifth street in the direction of the depot, well loaded with passengers. It had gained terrific impetus in going down the hill between Main and Los Angeles streets and approached the corner of Maple avenue almost at full speed. At that corner there is an automatic electric switch and the passing of the car over a section of the track causes a light to be shown on a pole if the switch is anything but clear.

Whether the light appeared last night or not is questioned, but if it did the motorman failed to see it for he struck the switch with terrific force and the car was turned south into Maple avenue. The speed of the car was so great that it could not round the curve. Instead it jumped the track, ran along the paved street a distance of sixty feet or more and crashed into two electric light poles which were at the edge of the curb. The car struck these poles, both of which were twenty inches in diameter with such force that both were broken off at the ground and five feet above the ground. All that held them upright was the wires at the top.

Aboard the car were a number of passengers, most of whom were riding in the open section at the rear. All were thrown violently forward, the seats were wrenched loose and the impact piled the passengers in a scrambling heap.

Only three persons were injured. They are:

H. C. MONROE, No. 854½ Crocker street, long gash under the left eye by striking his face against a window.

L. CONJ, No. 408 East Fifth street, shoulder dislocated by being thrown violently against a seat.

M. ALLEN, conductor of the car, shoulder severely bruised by striking against a corner of the doorway.

The other passengers on the car were L. J. Stevens, No. 1019 South Broadway; H. S. Dick, No. 526 East Fifth street; Lena Jones, No. 540 Central avenue; R. C. Caniff, No. 113 South Pasadena avenue, Pasadena; D. C. Morris, Eighth and Central avenue; A. B. Roach, an employee of the Ascot Park race track.

V. C. Rush, the motorman, said that he approached the switch with his car under control and the current turned off. When the car struck the switch, the sudden swerving of the car caused him to involuntarily turn on the current and before he could apply the air brakes, the car dashed into the poles.

Although the impact was such that the two large poles were splintered, only two windows in the car were broken. The headlight was not damaged and where the trucks struck the curb the wheels were turned to nearly right-angles with the body of the car. The wrecking crew was summoned and in two hours the car was back on the tracks, practically uninjured.

When Monroe was removed from the car he was taken to a neighboring drug store where his wounds were dressed and was later sent to his home. A hurry call was sent for the police ambulance but the services of the officers who accompanied it were not needed. Conj was also sent home. Conductor Allen remained at the scene of the wreck and assisted in the work of righting the car. The wreck delayed traffic on the Maple-avenue line and it was necessary to transfer passengers around that point.

CAN'T FIND HIS CLOTHES.

Man Found Half-naked in the Street Does Not Remember Where He Left Valuables.

W. A. Sieng, who rooms at the Columbia House, Broadway, between Sixth and Seventh, was found on the street by a policeman before daylight yesterday morning clad only in his shirt and underclothing. He was very drunk and the officer managed to get from him the location of his room and took him to it. There he went to sleep and late yesterday afternoon when he awoke he could not find his clothes. Then he recalled, rather faintly, that before the officer found him he had gone into a strange room the location of which he did not remember. He had realized that he was in somebody's else room and without taking his clothes with him he left the place only to be found on the street by the officer.

Fortunately, he had another suit of clothes, and donning this he repaired to the Police Station and reported. He knows that no person robbed him for when he was found he had a diamond pin in his necktie. The clothing which he left in somebody's room contained his watch and about $8. The police have been unable to locate that room.

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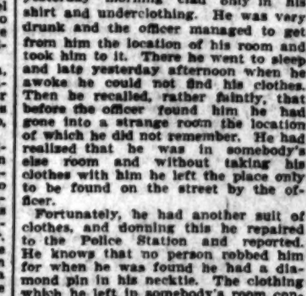

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

...ING FISH ... WITH CLUBS.

...CONDITIONS CAUSED ... LONG DROUTH.

Lake Dries up and Fish ... Captured—Death of ...—Bad Negro Jailed.

... Office of The Times, ...mond Avenue. Jan. ... fish by the boatload sl... the city limits of Pasadena ... a fish story, doesn't it? ... that during the past ... old boys armed with ... and beaches have been ...mercial harvest that ... Catalina Island to the ... on Wilson's Lake, ... hill on which stands the ... And the fish are big ...

... of rain made it possible to ... sport as has perhaps never ... known here. Wilson's Lake, ... formerly known, or Kewen ... as you put it, is located on ... of the late H. L. Mayberry, ... from the heart of ... one of the old landmarks. ... who has grown up ... has licked for coming ... to hair dump with the ... Lake.

... of average rainfall ... this season is nearly ... and a quarter mile ... depth of eight or ten ... was stocked with ... which have in... large numbers that a ... yellow pole, a bit ... and a trout hook with ... might bring home ... palliates the pa... today Wilson's ... in its deepest por... about with ... half up to their ... to the num... together in ... easy game. ... over a foot in ...

... and all day ... a score of stick... were busily at ... "sailheads" hardly ... to cover their ... stuck out ... them with ... that it ... to catch them in ... into a boat ... had dogs to ... pot-hunters were ... and rafts that ... the mud while ...revised seine, ... of it. These ... to sup... Mexicans ... fish dinners ... relatives this ...

...ER GONE.

...e Milton Scott ... from Ohio in 1849, ... San Gabriel, where ... almost continuously ... from his native State, ... who was one of the ... in this section owing ... residence, kindly ways, ... offices he has held, was ... when death called him. ... though attributed to old ... to have been hastened ... two years by the shock ... his son, Constable ... by a murderous ... was attempting to ... at San Gabriel. ... Judge Wilson has ... and his death was not ...

... home was the first ... the San Gabriel Sani... daughter and two ... The funeral will be ... Tuesday afternoon ...

...RO JAILED.

... young negro, is in ... charge of resisting ... carrying concealed ... and pending on the cor... Colorado streets last ... Kunzman se... fellow whipped out ... told Kunzman to ... refused to clear. ... he own gun into ... and the negro ... he went as far as ... the bisecoat over... last night he ... threatening upon the ... who had separated ... The police be... a bird that may ... misdeeds elsewhere, ... to held pending ...

...ND CONCERT.

... will be the first of a ... afternoon sacred con... the Pasadena Crown ... afternoon at Li... event called out ... people and the ... that it overflowed ... despite the usual ... off. And the ... Director Bryan, ... be able to con... through the season, ... programme, ... arranged at the ... G.A.R.: March, ...;) waltz, from ...bert;) "Hearts ...;) gavotte, "Al... "Nearer, ...(Otto Langly;) ...e Eagle" (Sousa;) ... (Ambrose ...nada, "La Rosa ...;) cornet duet, ...(W. P. Cham... ...nga, patriotic ...

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...e yesterday arrested ...and Carpenter ...constable at alleged ...ging Raymond ave... ...the judge how slow ...day morning, and ...ld both be there to ...rested.

...Mrs. Clara Ella Wil... ...South Delacey street ...to hold this morning ...parlors of Ives & ...ames was the wife ...ames and leaves four ...

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...of the Pasadena ...to be held in Re... ...Annual reports will ...officers elected, and short ...addresses delivered by Rev. ...Malcolm J. McLeod and Rev. S. G. Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dicker and child arrived yesterday from Clarence, Iowa, to spend the winter here.

Dr. W. D. Dilworth leaves here tomorrow evening for New York City.

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SANTA MONICA.

BURGLARY TRIALS.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 17.—Siraf Arretta and George Gilmore, the two escapes from Whittier, charged with several burglaries committed at Ocean Park, will be examined before City Recorder Guidinger tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Their guilt is believed to be already established, as nearly all the plunder gathered in the several burglaries was found with them in the vacant house on South Eighth street, in which they were arrested. The robberies of Thacker's store, C. Johnson & Co.'s grocery and Devony & Pettis's hardware store were committed inside of the city limits and for these robberies they will be examined before Recorder Guidinger. The other charge is the burglarizing of R. T. Preston's real estate office on Short Line Beach, outside of the city limits, and for this they will be examined before Justice Jennings tomorrow afternoon.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Santa Monica Council, No. 191, Royal Arcanum, installed officers last evening in their new lodgeroom in the Bank Block. Grand Regent Gunsendorfer assisted by Vice-Grand Regent Robert F. Jones and the other grand officers did the work. The new officers are, Past Regent, Robert F. Jones; Regent, E. C. Sheckles; V.R., B. Sues; Orator, A. E. Jackson; Secretary, Charles Thomas; Collector, H. F. Rile; Treasurer, H. J. Engelbrecht; Chaplain, James Whalen; Guide, George C. Boehme; Warden, A. Bimbo; Sentry, Frank A. Hill; Trustee, James Whalen. A banquet followed the work.

The installing team from Hermosa Lodge, Los Angeles, installed officers of the local lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood last night at Columbia Hall as follows: Past President, P. S. Lindsey; President, Mrs. J. T. Connelly; Vice-President, Mrs. C. F. Maguire; Secretary, Mrs. L. H. Case; Treasurer, J. R. Armstrong; Chaplain, Anna M. Walling; Sergeant, S. W. Miller; Master-at-Arms, Mrs. S. W. Miller; Inside Doorkeeper, M. Barker; Outside Doorkeeper, L. H. Case; Physicians, P. S. Lindley and L. H. Case. Refreshments and dancing were indulged in after the installation.

SEASIDE NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Whitson of Blue Island, Ill., arrived here yesterday to remain several weeks as guests of Mr. Whitson's parents, Capt. and Mrs. L. H. Whitson, of No. 119 Third street.

Mrs. Preuess and son, Kenneth, have arrived from Los Angeles and will occupy their cottage on Second street during the winter season.

The debate between Compton and Santa Monica High Schools at the Lincoln building Friday evening was won by Santa Monica. The question was, "Resolved, that the Territories of Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico should be admitted as States at the present session of Congress."

The members of the San José Chamber of Commerce visited Santa Monica yesterday afternoon.

HOLLYWOOD.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 17.—Dr. J. Addison Jackson of Hollywood has been appointed surgeon for the Los Angeles Pacific Railroad. His division includes Hollywood and Sherman.

Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Pratt and Miss Smith of St. Louis are guests of Mrs. E. A. Stellar.

A. G. Bartlett, president of the Board of Trade, is ill at his home, Vista Del Mar.

Mrs. Blanche Hubbel Smith of Milwaukee, Wis.; Miss M. Nelson of Burlington, Ky.; Miss F. E. Felch of Worcester, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Perkins of Kansas City, Mrs. R. F. Crabb and Mrs. Edward Lewis of St. Louis are guests at Hotel Hollywood.

Mrs. Raymond of Chicago will spend the winter with her parents ex-Gov. and Mrs. Berendo.

Two medal contests will be held in Druet Hall January 22, under the auspices of the W.C.T.U.

H. J. Whitley is in San Francisco on business.

The Sherman and Hollywood Camps, M.W.A., have arranged to hold joint meetings in the Masonic Temple.

The new Presbyterian Church will organize a Sunday-school which will meet at 10 a.m. each Sunday.

DOWNEY.

BOARD OF TRADE ELECTION.

DOWNEY, Jan. 17.—At the meeting of the Board of Trade Tuesday evening nine directors were elected as follows: J. T. Ardis, C. H. Eberle, S. S. Skidmore, Dr. Q. J. Rowley, L. L. Cohn, Charles E. Smith, J. O. Butler, Joseph Smith and A. L. Darby. The newly-elected board organized by electing the following officers: C. E. Smith, president; C. H. Eberle, first vice-president; D. L. Sirine, second vice-president; J. O. Butler, treasurer, Joseph Smith, secretary.

The Arroyo Ditch and Water Company at their annual meeting held Tuesday elected the following board of directors: A. L. Ball, William Caruthers, H. H. Felch, R. B. Mayes and Charles E. Smith. Board organized with A. L. Ball, president; H. H. Felch, vice-president and treasurer, and Frank S. Sproule, secretary.

NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. A. G. Haygood, after a two months' visit with her mother at Montgomery, Ala., returned home Saturday. Her sister, Miss Jennie Benjamin, accompanied her.

Ferd Hovey of Hanford, is in town visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hovey.

E. U. Skidmore, Ed Given and Fred Wiley returned Monday from a hunting and fishing trip at Laguna Beach.

A. E. Davis was here from Glendora Saturday, visiting J. W. McKellar and family.

Misses Isabell and Martha Silver of Wilmington were guests of the Misses Steinarts Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmoth of Salna are visiting J. W. Neighbors and family.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Imperial, H. W. Trina; Criterion, R. R. Porter; Earlington, T. McCarthy.

BAPTISTS PRAY OVER THE SEA.

UNIQUE RELIGIOUS SERVICE AT LONG BEACH.

Members of Church and Congregation March to End of Pleasure Pier and Have Musical and Other Devotions Above Roaring Waves.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 17.—Spheres of religious influence were extended over sea here today. Above the rolling billows a band of Baptists made audible and ocular demonstration of "throwing out the life line."

At the ocean end of the pleasure pier, where the timbers tremble and the whole structure vibrates with every wild surge of the breakers, members of the Baptist Church and congregation voiced their orisons and sent the music of their hallelujahs rolling out over the waves. Zealous in their faith, brothers and sisters of the sect bore oral testimony.

The religious services were under direction of the pastor, Rev. Frank L. Norton, and attracted more than passing attention from the Sunday visitors strolling and resting on the long wharf. Anglers neglected promising bites and nibbles to curiously observe the solemn yet gladsome procession that made its way from the land end of the pier.

"We believe this unusual religious service on the wharf has been attended with good results," said one of the brothers yesterday. "The exercises were brief and were on a part of the pier where there would be little or no interference with the general public in its enjoyment of the wharf. Undoubtedly the service has made a beneficial impression on the minds of some who have been neglectful of their church privileges."

Officers and members of the local temple of the Knights Templars entertained grand officers of that order at the Julian last evening.

COVINA.

INSURANCE POINT SETTLED.

COVINA, Jan. 17.—An interesting point in life insurance was settled here this week, involving the status of a man who gives his note in payment of a first premium and then changes his mind about taking the policy. The local court holds the insured liable on his note in such a case, and accordingly gave W. R. Thorne, insurance agent, a verdict against A. B. Rogers of Glendora, for $258.

Rogers gave his note to Thorne in payment of the first year's premium on a $5000 life-insurance policy. Rogers's application was duly accepted by the company, and the policy was mailed to him. In the meantime Rogers changed his mind and concluded he did not want the insurance, and in the action also alleged fraud on the part of the agent. He therefore refused to take the policy from the postoffice. Thorne sued on the note and was given judgment for $258.

COVINA WINS.

The Covina High School won its second interscholastic debate for this year at El Monte last evening. The question debated was, "Resolved, that United States Should Gi... ...ippines Their Independence." Miss Haddox and Fred Farmer of the El Monte High School for the affirmative and Miss Veta Heath and Cyril Platt of Covina handled the negative. The judges were Edward Hyatt, superintendent of schools of Riverside county, Prof. George E. Larkey, principal of the Spring-street school, and Prof. Melville Dozier of the Los Angeles Normal. Cyril Platt secured first honors and Fred Farmer second honors for delivery. After the debate refreshments were served the visiting school. A large contingent was present from Covina.

WOMEN AS LATHERS.

A unique bee was held at the Christain Church building under course of construction yesterday afternoon. A large numberof women members of ... church met and went in a body to the ... another for several hours in assisting the lathers at work on the building to the amusement of their husbands and brothers, who were interested spectators.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Covina Irrigating Company the old board of directors and officers were elected for the ensuing year. The board is composed of H. E. Chesebro, president; C. H. Ruddock, Charles Menefee, J. O. Houser, E. H. Lahee, A. P. Karckhoff, J. H. Adams, J. R. Elliott, J. M. Coolman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Latta of Clinton, Iowa, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Prather.

Mrs. Belfy, editor of the poultry department of the California Cultivator, was the guest Wednesday of Mrs. W. K. Stewart.

P. Stone, a recent arrival from Joplin, Mo., is the guest of J. F. Brow.

The Monday Afternoon Club is receiving bids for the construction of a handsome woman's clubhouse.

Mr. Cazard of Sacramento is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Heath of Irwindale. He expects to remain here.

Mrs. Edward Seeley of Los Angeles is here this week the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Raymond.

John Stoufer of Kearney, Neb., son of the late W. H. Stoufer, was in Covina Thursday on business connected with his father's estate.

CLAREMONT.

ADDRESS TO STUDENTS.

CLAREMONT, Jan. 17.—Rev. William Horace Day, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Los Angeles gave the second and last of his addresses to students this morning. His subject was: "The Choice of a Life-Work." He said in part:

"Our choice of a vocation should be made deliberately. A man should not be satisfied to drift into any door which may be open, but should have a definite plan in shaping his life. A man's vocation ought to be considered in its relation to income, selfhood, power of service and to Jesus Christ. No one should choose his occupation forgetful of a reasonable financial independence. The mistake is often made of pursuing the wrong line of work; a man should follow his natural bent. Today there is an unlimited demand for strong, manly, loyal men who will devote themselves to the service of others."

NEWS NOTES.

Last night, the concert given by the Chamber Concert Trio was enjoyed by a large audience. The 'cello playing of Paul Tennison, was one of the most delightful features of the programme.

Rev. Henry Kingman preached this morning in the First Congregational Church of Los Angeles.

SURPRISE IN PICO HEIGHTS.

Catholics are Purchasers of Methodist Church.

Will Use Building for New Parochial School.

News Brings Relief to Many Anxious Residents.

Recent developments in the sale of the Pico Heights Methodist Church are extremely interesting from a business as well as a religious viewpoint. It now appears that the agent who purchased the Methodist Church property on Fedora street had a card up his sleeve which he did not produce until the deed was in escrow and the sale consummated.

The first negotiation for the purchase of the church came from C. D. Richards, a real estate agent, who presumably engineered the transfer of the property for P. M. McGarry & Co., agents acting for Bishop Conaty of the Roman Catholic diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles.

The fact that the Catholics have bought the Methodist Episcopal Church comes as a great surprise to many members of the Pico Heights congregation, as it was supposed the property had passed into the hands of the First Baptist Church, which organization is anxious to establish a mission in that part of the city. No deception is charged against anyone, as the only stipulation made by the Methodists was that the property should not be used for any immoral purpose.

The rumor that the sacred house was to be turned into a dance hall by a certain rough element, and the consternation which agitated the good Methodist brethren when it was learned from Rev. Joseph Smale that his congregation had not purchased the property, have subsided into a feeling of entire satisfaction that the Catholics own the church. Rev. J. J. Clifford said yesterday:

"Yes, it is true the Catholics have bought the Methodist Church. We will establish a parochial school for our boys and girls on Pico Heights. The Sisters of the Immaculate Heart will have charge of the school which will be completely equipped. Our musical department will be especially strong, and our aim is to provide adequate school advantages for all who are now deprived of these blessings."

The Catholics will rent their property to the Methodists until the end of March. By that time the latter expect to occupy their new church building. Sentiment among residents of Pico Heights is favorable toward the Catholic Church. Their new edifice, in the style of the old Spanish missions, will soon be built at the corner of Pico and Hobson streets.

ON THE WATERFRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

Barkentine Addenda, Capt. Astrup, for South Seas, in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

SUNDAY, JAN. 17.

Steamer Alcatraz, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Grace Dollar, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Barkentine Reinforce, S. F. R. R. Co. wharf.
Barkentine Joseph L. Ervien, S. F. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Manila, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Commerce, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.
Schooner King Cyrus, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Ethel Zane, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Gehome, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.
Schooner R. C. Slade, Bibb L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Bangor, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Fearless, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Schooner O. M. Kellogg, Crescent wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Bonita, from San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Pasadena, from Eureka.
Steamer Santa, from Caspar.
Steamer Santa Barbara, from Seattle.
Steamer Coronado, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Centralia, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Nokomis, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Maria E. Smith, from Port Ludlow.
Schooner Admiral, from Astoria.
Schooner Marion from Aberdeen.
Schooner Meteor, from Winslow, Bay ports.
Schooner Falcon, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Philippine, from Tacoma.
Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Santa, Barbour, Seattle.
Steamer La Petre, Aberdeen.
Steamer Olympic, Fairhaven.
Steamer Redondo, Tacoma.
Bark Hayden Brown, Astoria.
Barkentine W. F. Crockett, Everett.
Barkentine Quickstep, Tacoma.
Barkentine Kate Flintkinger, Astoria.
Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.
Steamer Wm. Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner Comet, Aberdeen.
Schooner Oliver Olson, Port Townsend.
Schooner Fred M. Roberts, Aberdeen.
Schooner Mabel Gray, Eureka.
Schooner Lucy, Umpqua River.
Schooner Louise, Umpqua River.
Schooner Argus, Port Gamble.
Schooner Alice McKinnon, Tacoma.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Azalia M. Smith, Astoria.
Schooner Geo. Curtis, ...
Schooner Caroline, Tacoma.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Azalea, Bandon.
Schooner A. Cantz, Columbia River.
Schooner Martha Calhoun, Eureka.
Schooner C. S. Holmes, Port Blakeley.
Schooner Cecelia, Umpqua River.
Schooner Cecelia Olsen, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner F. S. Redfield, Tacoma.
Schooner James H. Bruce, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Lizzie Vance, Port Townsend.
Schooner Robert Searles, Port Townsend.
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Ballard.
Schooner Alden, Port Townsend.
Schooner Ruth Godfrey, Everett.
Schooner Bertie Minor, Astoria.
Schooner Sampa, Astoria.
Schooner William Bowden, Port Townsend.
Schooner Bathe, Winslow.

TO LEAVE—MONDAY, JAN. 18.

Steamer Grace Dollar, Capt. Pease, for San Francisco.

TUESDAY, JAN. 19.

Steamer Bonita, Capt. Alberts, for San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Carlson, for Greenwood, via San Francisco.

MOVEMENT OF "SUBMARINE" FLEET.

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Launch Vittoria, from Newport.

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Launch Point Firmin, Capt. Cashow, for Long Beach, with pleasure party.
Launch Pinkton, for Long Beach.
Launch Vittoria, Capt. Falcone, for Newport.
Eight sailboats for fishing banks and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLES FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Monday,	Jan. 18	9:17 a.m.	3:00 a.m.
		9:38 p.m.	3:18 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 19	10:00 a.m.	3:36 a.m.
		10:19 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 20	10:43 a.m.	4:12 a.m.
		11:00 p.m.	4:42 p.m.
Thursday,	" 21	11:26 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
		11:43 p.m.	5:24 p.m.
Friday,	" 22	9:16 a.m.	5:48 a.m.
		11:58 a.m.	6:06 p.m.
Saturday,	" 23	9:54 a.m.	6:36 a.m.
		12:16 p.m.	6:48 p.m.
Sunday,	" 24	10:36 a.m.	7:24 a.m.
		12:38 p.m.	7:33 p.m.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

"David Harum."

This evening "David Harum" comes again to the Mason Operahouse. The engagement is for three nights, with Wednesday matinée.

Seat Sales.

Seat sales open at the Union Pacific Ticket Office this morning for Burton Holmes's Russian-Japanese series of lectures, and for Edward Morgan's production of "The Eternal City," at the Mason Operahouse.

Casino's Successful Run.

"Fiddle Dee Dee" commences its third week at the Casino Theater this evening, the management asserting that they are breaking the record for the run of one production in Los Angeles. Miss Flossie Hope, the new soubrette of the company, appears for the first time tonight.

Enjoyed Catalina.

A majority of the San José people who are sojourning here in a body "the sights to see," voyaged to Catalina yesterday, as the guests of the Salt Lake Railroad and the Banning Company. They returned late in the evening, enthusiastic over the day's outing. Lunch was served at the Metropole.

Violating Sunday Law.

J. Beneke, proprietor of a saloon at Fifth street and Central avenue, came to grief yesterday on a charge of selling liquor on Sunday. Officers Alexander and Glenn claim to have purchased liquor themselves in Beneke's place and the arrest was made by them. Beneke was released on $50 bond.

Fullerton in Pictures.

The Fullerton News published a New Year's edition in which the horticultural and agricultural resources of that vicinity are exploited and presented in a series of well-executed half-tones. A striking array of handsome homes is one of the strongest pictorial features.

Newsboy Arrested.

Glen Harris, a newsboy 9 years old was arrested yesterday on complaint of Charles Van Brunt, an agent for the Los Angeles Examiner. Van Brunt claims that the boy stole papers from residents on the West Side and insisted that he should be locked up on a charge of petty larceny and that a cash bond of $50 be deposited before the boy be released.

Another Record-Breaker.

The Chutes record for attendance was again broken at the band concert yesterday afternoon, the turnstiles recording 13,612 persons who passed through into the park. The band received double, triple, and even quadruple encores, and the enthusiasm at times was tumultuous. A joint meeting of the Bilery management and the Chutes directors' board is scheduled for 2 o'clock this afternoon, at which time the masterly Italian musicians will probably be signed for an extended engagement.

Soubrette Was Fired.

Miss Emma Siegel, the soubrette who was reported to have threatened her manager with a horsewhip on Saturday, was simply fired, and her dander rose and rose until she made all sorts of accusations against her manager, M. Delson, of the "Happy Hooligan" Company. Miss Siegel and her husband, one Paul Bordman, refused to do a certain specialty at the production of the piece at the Mason Operahouse, and were discharged on four days' notice. Their act was a regular part of the show, and their freak setdemly inconvenienced the management. According to L. Behymer, salaries were all paid, and the show moved on peacefully to Fresno—minus Siegel and Bordman.

BREVITIES.

Real estate advertisers and others: hereafter, all real estate and other classified "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday night in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of these telephoning "Liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 1.

The board of managers of the News and Working Boys' Home wishes to thank all of those friends for their generous Christmas donations of fruits, vegetables, pickles, and various kinds of provisions. Mrs. W. H. McPee, corresponding secretary.

DEATH RECORD.

[illegible]—Sunday, January 17, 1904, at 11:30 a.m., Joseph Smith, aged 57 years. Funeral notice later.

[illegible]—At 609 Chanel street, January 16, 1904, Mrs. E. Hamburg, [illegible], wife of Orr & Hines. Funeral notice later.

GUNN—At Tropa, Ariz., January 14, 1904, Mrs. Ruth G. Gunn, aged 77 years. Funeral notice later.

[illegible]—At his residence, 1004 Pleasant avenue, January 17, 1904, Mrs. Sarah Jane Hollister, beloved wife of J. A. Hollister, formerly of Cleveland, O. Funeral from her late residence, No. 1004 Pleasant avenue, Monday (New street) today at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

WILCOX—At San Gabriel, January 16, 1904, Milton A. Wilcox, born in Licking county, Ohio, March 7, 1833. Funeral from late residence, San Gabriel, Tuesday, January 19, at 2 p.m.

JONES—At 9 a.m., Sunday, January 17, 1904, Robert H. Jones, aged 67 years. Funeral at late residence, No. 315 E. Thirty-first street, Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment in Rosedale Cemetery.

ULRICH—Charles Wesley Ulrich of Platteville, Wis., aged 40 years 8 months. Funeral Monday, January 18, at 2 p.m., No. 1207 Girard street.

DIER—In Los Angeles, January 15th, 1904, Hannah Dier, aged 58 years. Funeral at Brosee Bros., Broadway and Sixth, Monday, at 10:30 o'clock.

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B'nai B'rith Temple was filled with a large audience last night to greet the grand officers of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, who have come to Los Angeles for the annual inspection of the lodges of Southern California.

George N. Black, Deputy Grand President, introduced Dr. S. Hecht, who spoke of the aims of the order, and who, in turn, presented Wallace A. Wise, Grand President of the Pacific Coast District, who made a brief address.

Rev. Dr. Jacob Voorsanger, orator for the order, was then introduced, and spoke for about an hour, dwelling on the standing of the B'nai B'rith order as the spokesman for the Jewish people in all parts of the world.

Solos were sung by Mrs. J. G. Scarborough, with Miss Lillie Adams as organist. After the programme a public reception was held at the Temple to enable the auditors to meet the State officers of the order.

As a result of the setting forth of the benefits of this order and its efforts for Judaism fifteen candidates for membership will be initiated tomorrow night at the new hall, No. 521 West Pico street. This hall is to be dedicated at this time by the grand officers.

Tonight members of the order and their ladies, with the visiting guests, will have a banquet at Levy's Cafe. Covers will be laid for seventy-five guests. Today and tomorrow will be devoted to sightseeing by the visitors, and various near-by points will be visited.

COL. BACON'S SUICIDE.

Aged Colorado Springs Pioneer Shoots Himself—He Suffered from Rheumatism and Insomnia.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLORADO SPRINGS (Colo.) Jan. 17.—Col. John H. Bacon, a pioneer of this city, who came here in 1875, committed suicide by shooting this morning. He left a letter to the public, stating that he owed no man a dollar; had no enemies that he knew of; had no family troubles, but had suffered so much pain from rheumatism and insomnia that it more than offset the pleasures of the world. He was 75 years old.

Col. Bacon was Mayor of Colorado Springs in 1881, and was prominent as a business man in the early days. He was well off financially, and leaves an estate valued at $350,000. During the Civil War, Col. Bacon was provost marshal of the First District of Iowa.

SAN DIEGO.

RAILROAD PROJECTS.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—Two important papers in connection with the San Diego Eastern Railway project were filed with the County Clerk yesterday. The first of these was articles of incorporation of the San Deigo and Imperial Construction Company, whose object is to build the road from this city to Yuma. The incorporators are C. W. French, Homer H. Peters, A. A. Furman, H. T. Richards and V. A. Dehnel. The capital stock is $100,000, all of which is subscribed. The second paper is a certificate of the creation of a bonded indebtedness of the San Diego Eastern Railroad Company for $10,000,000. It is signed by the directors of that company.

In connection with the filing of the railway papers the announcement is made that the gentlemen who are behind the San Diego Eastern Railway project have purchased from Gen. W. E. Webb all of his holding of iron mines in Lower California, and that a steel plant will be erected in this city to treat the ores. The incorporation of a company with a capital of $10,000,000 for this purpose is expected during the coming week.

CORONADO BEACH:

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTEL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Jan. 17.—Yesterday's arrivals included Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Monaster, Portland, Or.; C. M. Buck, San Francisco; T. Murphy and wife, Los Angeles; B. P. Murphy and wife, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wheeler, Miss Wheeler, Evanston, Ill.; Mrs. G. W. Beaver, Miss Kate Beaver, San Francisco; A. Abbott and wife, Oakland; Mrs. C. A. McNulty, Mrs. Thurlow McMullin, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coleman, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page, Mrs. Page, Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Caswell, New York; D. C. Smith, Chicago; J. M. Healy, Los Angeles; W. W. Saint, San Francisco.

Robert J. Northam and Mrs. Northam of Los Angeles are among the guests at the hotel. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Freeman, also of Los Angeles.

Rev. Father Shea, whom Bishop Conaty has appointed priest at the Catholic Church, officiated at the church today. He succeeds Rev. Father Bitter.

Iowa people at Coronado include the family parties of J. Pitney and V. A. Briggs.

TURKS WILL BE PAID.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 17.—Orders have been sent by the government to the Governor of Beirut, Syria, to pay the arrears due the Turkish troops there, the non-payment of which has kept the troops in a mutinous condition for several days past. Mutinous Turkish troops have been terrorizing Beirut for several days. The mutineers, who number about thirteen hundred men, were landed, January 11, from Yemen, Arabia, and immediately besieged the Governor's palace, demanding the payment of about $80,000 in arrears of pay and threatening otherwise to sack the town.

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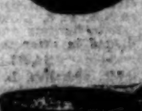

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